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2000 Town Report



Sanbornton, New Hampshire

❖ TOWN OF SANBORNTON TELEPHONE DIRECTORY ❖

TOWN OFFICES

Town Clerk	286-4034
Tax Collector	286-4034
Selectmen's Office	286-8303
Assessment Records	286-8303
Planning & Zoning	286-8303
Fax Transmissions	286-9544

EMERGENCY NUMBERS

General Emergencies	911
Police Department	286-4323
To Report a Fire	524-1545
Ambulance Service	524-1545
Crimeline	286-2200

FACILITIES & OTHERS

Fire Department (Non-Emergency)	286-4819
Health Officer	524-2288
Historic District Commission	286-7833
Planning Board	286-8303
Recreation Commission	286-2659
Sanbornton Public Library	286-8288
Town Garage	286-8252
Transfer Station/Recycling Center	934-7173
Zoning Board of Adjustment	286-3445

SCHOOLS

Sanbornton Central School	286-8223
Winnisquam Regional Middle School	286-7143
Winnisquam Regional High School	286-4531
Sant Bani School (private)	934-4240
Montessori House of Children (private)	934-3007

Town Office Address

Mailing: P.O. Box 124 Sanbornton, NH 03269
Location: 573 Sanborn Road, in the Town Square

Cover. *The Third Baptist Church, also known as the North Sanbornton Church, began as the "Pine Hill" Church over the line in Meredith in 1829. In 1839 the church was moved down the hill into the North Sanbornton area known as Piper's Mills. In 1876 it was "tastefully remodeled" and was rededicated on September 10th of that year. As times changed and attendance dropped the church held services less often and over time the building fell into disrepair. During a snowstorm in the 1970's the roof collapsed and the building had to be demolished. All that remains is the cemetery that grew beside it and a few old photographs of the once much used building.*

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ANNUAL REPORT OF THE

TOWN OF SANBORNTON

NEW HAMPSHIRE



FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000

DEDICATION



BRUCE MCLAUGHLIN

After thirty years as a volunteer firefighter, twenty-five of which were served on the Sanbornton Fire Department, Captain Bruce McLaughlin decided it was time to hang up his gear, and retired in October.

Bruce is a great example of a community volunteer. As a firefighter, he was conscientious about maintaining his credentials and equipment, and responsible for the Chapel Fire Station. And....he was always available (unless, of course, he was off camping!) to help the selectmen with maintenance tasks. While Bruce has cut back on Town duties, he continues as an assistant foreman with the New Hampshire Department of Transportation, spending much of his time improving and maintaining the state highways in Sanbornton.

A lifelong resident of Sanbornton, Bruce grew up on Hermit Woods Road. He was active in the 4-H, and especially enjoyed raising sheep. Bruce now lives at Gaza Corner with his wife, Linda. They have three grown daughters, Barbara, Jan and Sandi. Bruce continues to maintain a keen interest in town affairs, and is not bashful about sharing his opinion. Bruce, we hope you continue to keep us on our toes! Thanks.

~ Family Photo

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ELECTED OFFICIALS AND STAFF

Board of Selectmen

Thomas Salatiello, Chairman (00-03)
Evelyn Auger (99-01) Kevin Roy (99-02)

Joanne T. Dover, Administrative Assistant
Dottie Driscoll, Bookkeeper
Stacey A. Atherton, Assessment Records Clerk
Mark Salvador, Zoning Assistant

Budget Committee

Joe Damato, Chairman (00-03)
Kent Chapman, Vice Chairman, (99-02)
John Dodge (98-01) Michael Laughy (99-02)
Earl Leighton, Jr (00-03) Peter Dascoulias (00-01)
Evelyn Auger, Selectmen's Representative

Joanne Boyce, Recording Secretary

Highway Department

Bradley O. Laughy, Road Agent (00-01)

Mark Jenness, Supervisor
Brian Bordeau Joel Ellis
Roy Stanwood Ed Griffin
Ed Prentice, Part-Time

Moderator

Donald P. Foudriat (00-02)

Overseer of the Public Welfare

Edward R. Tierney (00-01)

Sanbornton Public Library

Library Trustees

Lola L. Morse, Chairwoman (98-01)
Dolly Elliott (00-03) Richard Leclerc (00-01)
Mildred Shaw (99-02) Russell Spearman (99-02)

Priscilla Bodwell, Librarian
Kathleen LeBel, Assistant Librarian
Patricia Kraft, Library Assistant (resigned)
Martha Hayes, Substitute Library Assistant

Supervisors of the Checklist
Sheila Dodge (98-04)
Joseph W. Seymour (98-02)
Phyllis A. Auger (00-06)

Town Clerk - Tax Collector
Jane Goss (99-02)
Lurana Joslyn, Deputy

Treasurer
Susan Shannon (99-02)

Trustee of Trust Funds
Edwin P. LeBel (98-01) Wayne Elliott (00-03)
Daryl Woods (99-02)

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State Representatives to the NH General Court
Gordon E. Bartlett, Belmont
Thomas Salatiello, Sanbornton
Francine Wendelboe, New Hampton

NH State Senate District 2
Edward "Ned" Gordon, Bristol

APPOINTED BY SELECTMEN

Assessor

R. Scott Littlefield, (resigned)
Gregory Heyn

Building Needs/Town Park Committee

Wayne Elliott, Chairman (resigned)
Everett Joslyn Henry Angle
Kevin Roy and Evelyn Auger, Selectmen's Representatives

Cemetery Committee

Peter Hibberd, Chairman
Sally Hibberd Mildred Shaw
Robert Bodwell
Evelyn Auger, Selectmen's Representative

Conservation Commission

Thomas Morrison, Chairman (02)
Wayne Elliott, Vice Chairman (01)
Faith Tobin (01) Bill Tobin (02)
Karen Bordeau (02)
Kevin Roy, Selectmen's Representative

Alternates
Gordon Craig John Dodge
Harold Graham (resigned)
Dottie Driscoll, Alternate & Recording Secretary

Fire Department

Jon B. Sanborn, Fire Chief
Steve Surowiec, Deputy Fire Chief
Bruce McLaughlin, Captain (resigned) Craig Simpson, Captain
Stan Barnes, Lieutenant Mark Foster, Lieutenant
Scott Taylor, Lieutenant

Firefighters

Ben Burlingame	Matthew Clark	Gary Courtney
Celina Dykstra	Guy Guinta	Chris Hurd
Jen LeBel	Deb Livernois	Paul Moore
Greg Pabst	Louisa Paige	Doug Sargent
Gary Shaffer	Ray Smith	Russ Spearman
Linda Surowiec	Mel Collard (resigned)	

Forest Fire Warden

Jon B. Sanborn, Warden

Deputy Wardens

Robert Bodwell
Winsor Braley
Duncan Craig
Richard Gray
Craig Simpson
Steve Surowiec
Mark Foster

Health Officer

Everett Joslyn

Highway Safety/Transportation Advisory Committee

Ralph Carter, Chairman (03)
Richard Robinson, Police Chief
Bradley O. Laughy, Road Agent
Jon B. Sanborn, Fire Chief
Gavin McDonald (03) Mel Collard (03)
Wayne Elliott (01) Roger Pelletier (01)
Kevin Roy, Selectmen's Representative

Trisha Goss, Recording Secretary

Historic District Commission

Karen Bartlett, Chairwoman (01)
Thomas Kuhner (01) Priscilla Bodwell (03)
Brian O'Connor (01) Don Kent (03)
Brian O'Connor (01)
Linda Salatiello, Alternate (01)
Evelyn Auger, Selectmen's Representative

Joint Loss Prevention Committee

Richard Robinson, Chief of Police
Roger Pelletier Stanley Barnes
Wayne Elliott Joel Ellis
Joanne Dover Jon Sanborn
Gavin McDonald
Kevin Roy, Selectmen's Representative

Lakes Region Planning Commission Representatives

Earl Leighton, Jr.
Patricia Shattuck

Old Graveyards and Cemeteries

Sally D. Hibberd

Office of Emergency Management

Stanley Barnes, Director and E-911 Coordinator

Planning Board

John Grobman, Chairman (01)
Scott Beckett (01) Tom Morrison (03)
Jack Potter (01)
Evelyn Auger, Selectmen's Representative

Alternates
Franz Vail (02)
Linda Salatiello, Alternate & Secretary

Planner
Katie Surowiec

Police Department

Richard Robinson, Chief of Police
Mark Barton, Sergeant

Patrolmen
Stephen M. Hankard
Gavin B. MacDonald
Scott A. Atherton
Paul Moller

Part-time Patrolmen
Tracy N. Trammel
Steve Houton
Jeff Buskey
Newman Daley

Animal Control
Donald Carpenter

Administrative Assistant
Trisha Goss

Recreation Commission

Joe Gray, Chairman (03)
Lisa Hull (01) Bruce Tibbetts (01)
Dolly Elliott (03)
Tom Salatiello, Selectmen's Representative
Bill Klubben, Advisor
Julie Lonergan, Coordinator

Solid Waste Disposal Committee

Ralph Carter, Chariman
Robert C. White Patricia Shattuck
Dana Draper Richard Larrivee
Mary O'Neil, Facility Manager
Kevin Roy, Selectmen's Representative

Richard Hunkins Cliff Steinhauer Matt Leclerc
Trisha Goss, Recording Secretary

Zoning Board of Adjustment

James VanValkenburgh, Chairman (02)
Jean Surowiec (01)
Frank Tibbetts (02)
Dennis Pancoe (03)
Philip Bonafide (01)

Alternates
Raymond Beaupre
Timothy Grant
Ann Littlefield

Ann Littlefield, Recording Secretary

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

This past year we have seen a small Town's spirit at its best. Those working on the proposal for the library addition have held several fundraisers that have been extremely successful, not just in raising funds but in raising morale and support. A second dedicated and hard working group is the committee working on the senior housing project. Although there may be some differing opinions on the location of the housing, we all agree there is a need. To those who have worked so hard and long on these projects, thank you.

The Solid Waste Disposal Committee deserves our thanks as well. Waste disposal costs have escalated as haulers have managed to build monopolies leaving towns with fewer options, at higher costs. In fact, fees had to be increased this year to keep up with the expense. The State demand for the landfill closure has also placed a financial burden on the Town. The 2001 budget contains a request for $600,000 to close the landfill. We propose to participate in the state revolving loan fund to finance the closure. This committee has worked hard on the Town's behalf to get us the best deal possible under difficult circumstances.

The first year of the Steele Hill Road project went well and plans are ongoing for Phase two and three. The second request for funding is included in the budget, and Steele Hill Resorts has again pledged to contribute one third of the Town's share of the cost of the project under the NHDOT 2:1 match program.

This year, the Town found it necessary to demolish and remove the old building between the library and the church. The building started out as the horse shed for the church. Later, when school was being held in the old Academy building, it was used as the "shop" classroom. Its next transformation was to become our fire station. It last served as storage for the library. Time took its toll, and the building became a hazard so this past year the selectmen decided to have it removed.

The Cemetery Committee has done an amazing job in identifying and listing many of those buried in the numerous private cemeteries throughout the Town. This project is ongoing. In the lobby of the Town offices there is a book and map available for perusal. With the recommendation of the conservation commission, the selectmen are recommending investigation of a 1.5 acre parcel on Hermit Woods Road as a potential Town Cemetery. A small appropriation for investigative purposes is being requested.

This fall, the selectmen hired a new assessor, Greg Heyn of Milford. Greg works for the Town on a part time basis. In addition to the city of Manchester, Greg does assessing in several other small towns. We all will miss Scott Littlefield, who found it necessary to resign due to ill health.

(Board of Selectmen continued)

The Recreation Commission is to be complimented for the many fine programs offered this past year, especially their summer program. We received many positive comments about it and are pleased to see it will continue.

This year we are asking the voters to allow a number of parcels of Town land to be sold. The lots range in size from .02 acre to 13 acres. Anyone who is interested in lots proposed for sale may come into the Town offices to view them on the tax maps. We would like to see the proceeds from their sale earmarked for conservation, library, landfill, and Town building expansion.

We hope many of you took the opportunity to go and see the "Rendezvous" held on the Corps of Engineers land down by the river. It was a step back in time. School children and adults were enchanted. We have invited the Northeast Primitive Rendezvous to return, and look forward to seeing them again.

The Town, at present, is a party to two lawsuits. The first is the mass appeal of the change in assessed valuation on the Winnisquam Lakefront. The second involves the "Right to Know" law as it affects nonpublic portions of our meetings. Both are reminders of the fine line that selectmen must walk to do their job, and do it fairly. Protecting the rights of one party can sometimes be perceived as violating the rights of another.

The Town of Sanbornton has experienced significant growth in the past year. Of the 129 building permits issued in the year 2000, 42 of them were for new homes. We welcome new residents to our community and urge you to become involved in Town affairs. As a small Town, much of the work is done by volunteer boards and committees, for which we are ever so grateful. It is a great way contribute to your community, and a wonderful way to meet your neighbors!

Lastly, we wish to express our thanks and appreciation to our Town employees for their dedicated service throughout the year.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Salatiello, Chairman
Evelyn Auger
Kevin Roy

OFFICIAL BALLOT OF THE TOWN OF SANBORNTON
MARCH 14, 2000

Pursuant to the warrant for the 2000 Town Meeting, the Moderator, Donald Foudriat opened the polls at 7:00 AM on March 14, 2000. Of the 1834 registered voters, 49% took part in the election. A Total of 882 ballots were cast including absentees.

At 1:00 PM Absentee Ballots were processed. 81 ballots were accepted. Three ballots were disqualified for missing affidavits. Absentee Voter List is sealed, not be opened only by court order Per RSA657:15 and RSA658:27.

The polls closed promptly at 7:00 PM.

The results of the counting of the ballots follows:

Budget Committee **1 Year Term (1)**		**Budget Committee** **3 Year Term (2)**	
Peter Dascoulias	**418**	**Earl Leighton Jr.**	**474**
		Joseph E Damato	**388**
Stephen Surowiec	403	Katy Decarteret	341
Nina Gardner	3	Wayne Elliott	4
Earl Leighton	3	Matt Gilman	2
Jean Goodwin	3	Jim Wells	1
Wayne Elliott	2	Peter Dascoulias	1
John Smith	1	Dennis Akerman	1
		Robert Fisher	1
		Susan Dyment	1
		Robert Bodwell	1
		Richard Gardner	1
		Donna Laughy	1

(Official Ballot continued)

Library Trustee
1 Year Term (1)

Richard Leclerc	**754**
Tom Salatiello	2
Edna Hanson	2
Brian Gallagher	2
Dolly Elliott	1
Kate LeBel	1
Ester Cowles	1
Doug Fillion	1
Betty Weiant	1
Guy Giunta	1
Kate Surowiec	1
Richard Spinner	1
John Smith	1
Barb Dodge	1
Joel Nason	1

Library Trustee
3 Year Term (1)

Dolly Elliott	**753**
Brian Gallagher	2
Phil McCraken	2
Lola Morse	1
Bonnie Roy	1
John Smith	1
Mary Ahlgren	1
Don Noyes	1
Margo Rasicot	1

Moderator
2 Year Term (1)

Donald P. Foudriat	**748**
Nina Gardner	27
Ed LeBel	2
Fran Belcher	1
Scott Taylor	1
Dan Durgin	1
Ralph Carter	1
Earl Leighton	1

Overseer of Public Welfare
1 Year Term (1)

Edward R. Tierney	**750**
Jackie Churchill	1
Martha Wilson	1
Fran Belcher	1
James Miller	1
Joan Boyce	1
Kate J Kannaly	1
W. Stu Dyment	1

(Official Ballot continued)

Road Agent
1 Year Term (1)

Bradley O Laughy	**269**
Ralph Carter	243
Jean Auger	209
Brian Bordeau	109
Ed Griffin	18
Jeff Plaisted	8
Jack Ellis	1
Wayne Elliott	1

Selectman
3 Year Term (1)

Tom Salatiello	**395**
John Bobula	327
Wayne Elliott	129
Carl Linstrom	2

Supervisor of the Checklist
6 Year Term (1)

Phyllis Auger	**701**
Emma Gosselin	4
Dolly Elliott	3
Joe Seymour	2
Sheila Dodge	1
Rosanna Leighton	1
Martha Douglass	1
Lurana Jóslyn	1
Carl Lindstrom	1
Betty Bourchard	1
Barbara Akerman	1
Shirley Griffin	1
Fran Belcher	1
Peter Dascoulias	1
Jane Goss	1
Jean Auger	1
Ann Cioffi	1
Elaine Townsley	1
Phyl Chamberlain	1

Trustee of Trust Funds
3 Year Term (1)

Wayne Elliott	**688**
Pat McGroin	3
Daryl Wood	2
Brian Gallagher	2
Richard Leclerc	2
Ed LeBel	2
John Dodge	1
Peter Hibbard	1
Wendy Eldridge	1
Martha Douglass	1
Mike Nolan	1
Brian Bordeau	1
Sean Goodwin	1
John Smith	1
Joel Ellis	1
Tom Salatiello	1
Earl Leighton	1
Alvin Larson	1
Sue Dyment	1
R. Laflam	1
Barb Akerman	1
Okie Howe	1
Jane Goss	1
Fred Hooper	1
Jeff Fillion	1
Guy Giunta	1

RESULTS OF THE VOTE ON QUESTIONS

Question #1
Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 466:30-a which make it unlawful for any dog to run at large, except when accompanied by the owner or custodian, and when used for hunting, herding, supervised competition and exhibition or training for such?

Yes 424 **No 360**

Question #2
Shall we adopt the provisions of RSA 40:13 (known as SB 2) to allow official ballot voting on all issues before the (local political subdivision)? By Petition.

Yes 401 **No 373**

60% vote was needed to pass. Failed by 63 votes.

RESULTS OF THE VOTE ON ZONING AMENDMENTS

Amendment #1
Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 4 and add Paragraph R to allow Child Day Care Facilities as a permitted use in all Districts provided certain standards are met. This amendment also provides several exemptions that would not require Planning Board Site Plan approval.

Yes 609 **No 204**

Amendment #2
Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:
Amend Article 3 and add the definition for **Outdoor Recreational Facility.** An Outdoor Recreational Facility shall be for passive outdoor recreational activities (such as cross country and equestrian pursuits). The use of a closed track or course needed for motorized vehicles will not be permitted as an outdoor recreational facility.

Yes 618 **No 199**

(Vote on Zoning Amendments continued)

Amendment #3
Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 3 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 18 and add a subsection under Paragraph B to permit an Outdoor Recreational Facility in all districts subject to site plan approval by the Planning Board.

Yes 561 **No 238**

Amendment #4
Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 4 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Delete Article 18 Paragraph (1)(a-e) and Article 3 Paragraph 9. Amend Article 4 and add Paragraph S entitled Home Occupation. This amendment proposes to allow Home Occupation as a permitted use in all Districts. Two levels of Home Occupation are proposed. Level One Home Occupation does not require Planning Board site plan review provided several conditions are met. Level Two Home Occupation will require Planning Board site plan review.

Yes 556 **No 221**

Amendment #5
Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 5 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 4 and add Paragraph T entitled Open Space Zoning. Open Space Zoning is proposed as an optional alternative to a conventional subdivision. Open Space Zoning is proposed to meet the goal(s) of permanently protecting open space and allowing a flexible lot layout design exclusively for single family housing. Open space standards, lot density, road frontage, and acreage dimensions have been outlined.

Yes 607 **No 191**

Amendment #6
Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 6 as proposed by petition for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Repeal Article 11 Paragraph B Section 1 and amend Article 11 Paragraph C. Amend the Zoning Map by eliminating the "Highway Commercial" designation

(Vote on Zoning Amendments continued)

(Amendment # 6 continued)
from Tax Map 21 Lot 6 (a 13-acre parcel located at the junction of Johnson Road and Route 127). This area shall be included as part of the "Agricultural District" which abuts it. The Planning Board approves of this amendment.

Yes	**582**	**No**	**214**

Amendment #7
Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 7 as proposed by petition for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Repeal Article 11 Paragraph B Section 3 and amend Article 11 Paragraph C to amend the Zoning Map by eliminating the "Highway Commercial" designation from Tax Map 21 Lot 21 (3-acre parcel located at the Junction of Burleigh Hill Road and Route 127). This area shall be included as part of the "General Residential District" which abuts it. The Planning Board approves of this amendment.

Yes	**568**	**No**	**232**

SCHOOL BALLOT
WINNISQUAM REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICT
MARCH 14, 2000

Moderator
1 Year Term (1)

Kenneth Randall	**740**
Donald Foudriat	5
Nina Gardner	3
Tom Salatiello	1
Fran Belcher	1

School Board Tilton Candidate
3 Year Term (1)

Peter Deleault	**656**
Scott Davis	1
Brian Gallagher	1
John Smith	1
Tom Salatiello	1

School Board Sanbornton
3 Year Term (1)

Doris Nisbet	**734**
Terry Hersh	2
Brian Gallagher	2
Mark Kaar	2
Kathy Sanderson	1
Kathy Decarteret	1
John Purple	1
Peter Deleault	1
Susan Dyment	1
Guy Giunta	1
Judy Livernois	1

School Board Northfield
3 Year Term (1)

Valerie Allen	**450**
Leif Ellingsen	**199**
Ralph Carter	1
Dayle Auger	1
Tom Tullwieler	1
Linda Kelly	1
Carol Gipson	1
Scott McGrithan	1

2000 Town Meeting Minutes
Town of Sanbornton
State of New Hampshire
March 15, 2000

The 2000 Town Meeting was called to order at 7:30 PM by the Moderator, Donald P. Foudriat. Voters were reminded to check with the Supervisors of the Checklist to obtain their voting card. The Moderator requested identification of any handicapped voters who may need assistance. Junior Girl Scout Troop 2639 and Brownie Troop 639, presented the colors and also the Pledge of Allegiance under the direction of their leader Gloria Muraszko. The invocation was led by Pastor, Leslie Norman, Sanbornton Congregational Church. Introductions of Town Officials were made. Appointments of Assistant Moderators, Everett Joslyn, Bill Cole, Richard Gardner and Scott Taylor.

Selectman, Kevin Roy was recognized for the following Presentation: In recognition of service, William Tobin was given an award for six years of unselfish and dedicated service as a member of the Board of Selectmen.

Evelyn Auger, member of the Board of Selectmen, was recognized for the following Presentation: Emma Gosselin was commended for her 18 years of service as a Supervisor of the Checklist from 1982.

Selectman Tom Salatiello presented a ***RESOLUTION***, which was read by School Board Member, Nina Gardner. The ***RESOLUTION*** is in recognition of Rita Rowe, for her service to Sanbornton Central School. Rita will be retiring at the end of this school year after 40 years of service. The ***RESOLUTION*** and a corsage will be presented to Rita the following day.

The Moderator then called for a moment of silence to remember all those residents who have passed on in 1999. Twenty fellow citizens have passed on in the year 1999.

Election results were read by the Moderator.

Moderator's rules were then read.

Budget Committee Chairman Kent Chapman, gave a summary on the 1999 Budget and reported the following: Appropriations for last year was $2,247,782.00, the actual expenditures for 1999 were $1,949,597. This year as the Budget stands if everything passes will be $2,201,280.00. Kent also thanked all budget committee members for their hard work and dedicated service.

(Town Meeting Minutes continued)

Article 1.
To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen as agents of the Town to convey, for the sum of One Dollar ($1.00), all or a portion of certain Town Property located on Lower Bay Road and Dr. True Road, shown on Tax Map 11 as Parcel 71, containing 56.12 acres, to a not for profit corporation known as Sanbornton Senior Housing Corporation, Inc., for use as a site for senior housing, at such time as the Selectmen determine that such corporation is reasonably able to construct a senior housing project on said property and upon such terms, conditions, and restrictions as the Selectmen deem reasonable, including a right of reversion of title to the Town in the event the property ceases to be used for senior housing. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Article #1 was Accepted as read.

Move to place Warrant Articles 18 and 19 next on the Agenda of Articles to be considered by this body. Seconded.
Motion was defeated. (Hand vote - Yes 74 No 129)

Article 2.
To see if the Town will vote to send the following resolution to the New Hampshire General Court: Resolved, New Hampshire's natural, cultural and historic resources in Sanbornton and throughout the state are worthy of protection and, therefore, the state of New Hampshire should establish and fund a permanent public/private partnership for the voluntary conservation of these important resources. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Article #2 was Accepted as read.

Article 3.
To see if the Town will vote to accept the Sanbornton Fire Department, Inc. as the Town of Sanbornton Fire Department, as defined under RSA 154:1. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

The following amendment was offered:
To see if the town will vote to accept the Sanbornton Fire Department, Inc., as the Town of Sanbornton Fire Department, as defined under RSA 154:1, I (a). Recommended by the Board of Selectman.

The amendment was Accepted.
Article #3 as amended was Accepted.

(Town Meeting Minutes continued)

Article 4.
To see if the town will vote to discontinue Vacation Drive, off Circle Point Road. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

Article #4 was Accepted as read.

Article 5.
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100,000 as the town's portion of Phase One of improvements to Steele Hill Road under the State Aid Highway Program. Said town appropriation will be offset by donation of $33,333 from Steele Hill Resort. (This is the first of a three-phase plan to reconstruct Steele Hill Road, a class II state road. Work to be done by NH DOT. Under the 2:1 match program, NH DOT will contribute $200,000 towards Phase One of the project. The three year project is estimated at $900,000.) Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

The following amendment was offered:
To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $67,000 as the towns portion of a Class II State aid. Reconstruction. Under the 2:1 match program NH DOT will contribute $134,000. The project to be determined by Town Meeting at a later date.

The amendment was Defeated.

Article #5 Accepted as read.

Article 6.
To see if the Town will vote to name the Board of Selectmen as disbursing agents for the Roads and Bridges Capital Reserve Account. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen.

The following amendment was offered:
That the Board of Selectmen be named as disbursing agents for Road and Bridges Capitol Reserve account for emergency purposes only.

The amendment was Defeated. (Hand Vote Yes 68 No 139)

Article #6 was Accepted as read. (Hand Vote Yes 136 No 80)

(Town Meeting Minutes continued)

Article 7.
To see if the Town will vote to explore establishment of a Town Cemetery on Pound Road, shown on Tax Map 21, parcel number 46, containing thirteen (13) acres, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000 for initial development of the cemetery. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Motion to postpone Article #7 indefinitely was seconded and so voted.

Article 8.
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of not more than $15,000 for the purpose of paving a portion of Hunkins Pond Road. Said paving to follow reconstruction of 550 feet of Hunkins Pond Road. (Reconstruction to be done by private contractor.) Not recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

The following amendment was offered:
Amendment to Article 8 to changing the amount from $15,000 to $8,750.00.

The amendment was Accepted.

Article #8 as amended was Accepted.

Article 9.
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $59,282 for the purchase of a new truck for the highway department, and vote to withdraw the amount of $53,082 from the Heavy Equipment Capital Reserve Fund for this purpose. Said expenditure will be offset by $6,200 in trade for an existing vehicle. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article #9 Accepted as read.

Article 10.
To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $47,488 for the purchase of two police cruisers for the Police Department. Said appropriation is to be offset by insurance receipts of $15,100. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article #10 Accepted as read.

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Article 11.
To see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to enter into a two year lease-purchase agreement for the purpose of purchasing a 4-wheel drive cruiser for the police department, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $15,684 for the first year payment. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article #11 Accepted as read.

Article 12.
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $20,000 for the Winnisquam Fire Department for the purpose of purchasing a new ambulance and to authorize the withdrawal of $10,000 from the Winnisquam Fire Department Capital Reserve Fund for this purpose. The remainder, $10,000, will be raised by taxation. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article #12 Accepted as read.

Article 13.
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $8,375 for the Winnisquam Fire Department for the purpose of purchasing of radios and pagers, and to authorize the withdrawal of $2,500 from the Winnisquam Fire Department Radio Capital Reserve Fund, established for this purpose. The remainder, $5,875, will be raised through taxation. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article #13 Accepted as read.

Article 14.
To see if the Town will vote to approve the issuance of not more than $45,000 of bonds or notes in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA 33) for the purpose of funding through long term debt the purchase of a new fire truck for the Sanbornton Fire Department. ($155,000 for the purchase of the fire truck was authorized by the 1999 Town Meeting, $110,000 to be withdrawn from the Fire Truck Capital Reserve Fund, the balance, $45,000, to be raised through issuance of long term bonds or notes. Approval of bond was by majority vote. A 2/3 ballot vote is required.) Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article #14 Accepted as read. (Ballot Vote Yes 155 No 25)

(Town Meeting Minutes continued)

Article 15.
To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $30,000 for the purchase of a pre-owned ambulance for the Sanbornton Fire Department, and to authorize the withdrawal of $10,000 from the Rescue Vehicles Capital Reserve Fund and $20,000 from the Ambulance and Ambulance Equipment Replacement Fund for this purpose. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

Article #15 Accepted as read.

Article 16.
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $84,618 to be received from the Highway Block Grant to be used for improvements to Burleigh Hill Road, March Road and Lower Bay Road. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

The following amendment was offered:
To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $84,618 to be received from the Highway Block Grant to be used for improvements to Burleigh Hill Road, March Road, Lower Bay Road, Weeks Road, and Hueber Drive.

The amendment was Accepted.

Article #16 as amended was Accepted.

(Town Meeting Minutes continued)

Article 17.
To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $344,000 for the maintenance of highways and streets. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

	Selectmen and Budget Committee
Highways and Streets	$340,000
Street Signs	1,000
Town Bridges	3,000
	$344,000

Article #17 was Accepted as read.

Article 18.
To see what sum the Town will vote to raise and appropriate for public safety. The Board of Selectmen recommend $392,225. The Budget Committee recommends $391,575.

	Selectmen	Budget Committee
Police Department	$258,890	$258,890
Police Outside Details	21,400	21,400
Fire Department	68,960	68,960
Lakes Reg. Mutual Fire	22,200	22,200
Emergency Management	1,600	1,600
Forest Fire Control	1,500	1,500
Winnisquam Fire Dept.	14,175	14,175
Highway Safety Com.	1,000	750
Street Lighting	2,500	2,100
	$392,225	$391,575

Article #18 the Budget Committee Recommendation was Accepted as read.

(Town Meeting Minutes continued)

Article 19.
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $978,258 for general government. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

	Selectmen and Budget Committee
Executive Expenses	$55,430
Elections and Registration	11,296
Financial Administration	119,485
Revaluation of Property	34,100
Legal Expenses	9,000
Personnel Administration	188,114
Planning and Zoning	22,956
General Government Buildings	27,000
Cemeteries	4,000
Insurance-Property/Casualty	36,000
Solid Waste Disposal	145,600
WRB	29,661
Health	3,250
Animal Control	2,000
Community Support Agencies	34,957
Welfare Assistance	20,000
Recreation	44,148
Library	66,729
Moulton's Band/Patriotic	2,100
Conservation Commission	1,335
Debt Service-Principal	55,000
Debt Service-Interest	11,797
TAN Interest	53,000
Other General Government	1,300
	$978,258

The following amendment was offered:
Move to reduce line item "Revaluation of Property" in the General Government Warrant Article 19 from $34,100 to $9,000 and thus making the total appropriation for General Government expense to $953,158.

The amendment was Defeated.

Article #19 was Accepted as read.

(Town Meeting Minutes continued)

Article 20.
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000 to be placed in the Library Construction/Reconstruction Capital Reserve Fund for the purpose of construction of an addition to the Sanbornton Public Library. Recommended by the Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee.

The following amendment was offered:
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000 to be placed in the Library Construction/Reconstruction Capital Reserve Fund for the purpose of construction of an adition to the Sanbornton Public Library.

The amendment was Accepted.

Article #20 as amended was Accepted.

Motion to restrict reconsideration of all previous Articles is seconded and so voted.

Article 21.
To see what sum the town will raise and appropriate for placement in Capital Reserve Funds. The Board of Selectmen recommend $66,500. The Budget Committee recommends $69,000.

	Selectmen	Budget Committee
CRF Town Buildings Improvement	$15,000	$15,000
CRF Sanbornton Fire Truck	1,000	5,000
CRF Highway Heavy Equipment	22,500	20,000
CRF Fire Truck Repair/Refurbish	4,000	5,000
CRF Rescue Vehicle	10,000	10,000
CRF Roads and Bridges	4,000	4,000
CRF Sanbornton Fire Dept. Radios	10,000	10,000
	$66,500	$69,000

Article #21 the Budget Committee recommendation is Accepted as read.

Article 22.
To see if the Town will vote to repeal Article 21 which passed at the annual meeting of March 15, 1995, and provides for a discount of the portion of property taxes paid after April 1, but before August 15. The purpose of this Article is to revoke any discount for prepayment of taxes. Recommended by the Town Clerk-Tax Collector.

Article #22 was Accepted as read.

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Article 23.
To see if the Town will vote to tape record all Selectmen's meetings. By Petition.

Article #23 was Accepted as read.

Article 24.
To transact such other business as may legally come before the Town Meeting.

No other business was brought before the meeting and a motion to adjourn was approved at 11:26 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Goss

Jane Goss
Town Clerk

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT
2000

Motor Vehicles	$427,684.00
Dogs	3938.20
Marriage	540.00
Vitals	868.00
Maps & Ordinances	2,719.08
Titles	1,364.00
UCC Filing Fees	1,675.47
Filing Fees	14.00
Municipal Agent fees	8,399.50
Boats	163.12
Overpayments	96.51
Misc	.25
Remitted to Treasurer	**$447,462.13**

Reminders:
Pet owners please license your dog by April 30th to avoid penalties. Delinquent notices will be mailed mid June.

Boat owners please check with my office before registering your boats to see if there are any fees due to the town.

Highlights:
The Town Clerk-Tax Collector's office had a very challenging and busy year in 2000, with four elections and one Mock General Presidential Election.

The highlight of my year was to hold a Mock General Presidential Election at the Sanbornton Town Hall. I want to take this opportunity to thank the teachers and the 186 children from Sanbornton Central and Sant Bani Ashram, who participated in the program. A very heartfelt thanks to the following people who donated their time to make this program a huge success; Town Moderator, Donald Foudriat, Deputy Town Clerk-Tax Collector, Lurana Joslyn, Police Chief, Richard Robinson and volunteers, Virginia Foudriat and Larry Goss. I also would like to thank the Police Department Administrative Assistant, Trisha Goss, who served refreshments, which were donated by the Sanbornton Police Relief Association. Last but not least, the support I received from The Board of Selectmen, Tom, Evelyn and Kevin, thank you.

We had a very prosperous year; clerk revenues were up by $92,681.42.

HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

Respectfully submitted,
Jane Goss
Jane Goss
Certified Town Clerk-Tax Collector

TAX COLLECTORS REPORT

Uncollected Taxes	**2000**	**1999**
Beginning of Year		
Property		871,098.28
Land Use Change Tax		1060.00
Yield Taxes		1256.38
Sewer User Fee		605.00
Taxes Committed This Year		
Property	4,057,638.00	
Added Taxes		
Land Use Change Tax	19,903.50	
Yield Taxes	39,704.48	
Excavation Tax @ $.02/yd	448.22	
Excavation Tax/Gravel Tax		505.00
Sewer User Fees	30,050.00	
Overpayments:		
Property Taxes	10,274.33	301.97
Excavation Tax		
Land Use Change Tax		
Yield Taxes		
Sewer User Fees		
Collect. Int-Late Taxes	64.90	12,799.85
Penalties-Lien Costs		2,274.00
Total Debits	**$4,158,083.43**	**$889,900.48**
Remitted to Treasurer During 2000		
Property Taxes	2,252,095.61	848,963.32
Land Use Change Tax	14,503.50	1,060.00
Yield Taxes	23,967.98	1,023.63
Sewer User Fee	28,468.00	605.00
Interest	64.90	12,799.85
Excavation Tax		505.00
Excavation Tax @ $.02/yd	448.22	
Conversion To Lien Costs		2,274.00
Overpayments	10,274.33	301.97
Discounts Allowed		
Abatements Made:		
Property Taxes	6,787.00	22,134.96
Land Use Change Tax		
Yield Taxes		232.75
Sewer User Fee	242.00	
Excavation Tax		
Excavation Tax @ $.02/yd		
Current Levy Deeded		

(Tax Collector continued)

Uncollected Taxes End of Year		
Property Taxes	1,798,755.39	
Land Use Change Taxes	5,400.00	
Yield Taxes	15,736.50	
Sewer User fees	1,340.00	
Total Credits		
	$4,158,083.43	**$889,900.48**

	*****LEVIES OF*****		
	1999	**1998**	**1997**
Unredeemed Taxes Balance Beginning Of Fiscal Year		67,011.49	24,982.29
Liens Executed During Fiscal Yr.	87,992.22		
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)	1,793.39	7,590.14	8,812.50
Total Debits	**$89,785.61**	**$74,601.63**	**$33,794.79**
Remitted to Treasurer: Redemption's	32,003.57	42,256.54	24.021.45
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)	1,793.39	7,590.14	8,812.50
Abatements of Unredeemed Taxes	103.06		
Liens Deeded to Municipality	925.36	983.24	960.84
Unredeemed Liens Balance of Year	54,960.23	23,771.71	0.00
Total Credits	**$89,785.61**	**$74,601.63**	**$33,794.79**

Respectfully submitted,

Jane Goss

Jane Goss, Certified Tax Collector

TREASURER'S REPORT

GENERAL FUND ACCOUNT

Cash on hand January 1, 2000		$ 534,795
Receipts:		
Tax Collector	$ 3,317,139	
Town Clerk	447,462	
Selectmen's Office	425,698	
Interest earned on accounts	26,548	
Capital Reserve Funds	114,908	
Recreation rembsmt. for 1999 & 2000	55,746	
Perkins Rd. Escrow Funds received	2,049	
Bond-Fire Truck & Town Hall imprvmts.	140,000	
Tax Anticipation Loan	1,900,000	
		+ 6,429,550
		$ 6,964,345
Expenditures:		
Payments by order of Selectmen	$ 2,168,102	
Transferred to Capital Reserve Funds	79,000	
Payments to Winnisquam Reg. School Dist.	2,554,084	
Payment to Belknap County	389,365	
Long Term Debt - principal payments	50,000	
Long Term Debt - interest payments	11,317	
Tax Anticipation Loan - repayment	400,000	
Tax Anticipation Note - interest payment	51,687	
		- 5,703,555
Ending Balance December 31, 2000		**$ 1,260,790**
Tax Anticipation Note - Outstanding 12/31/00		*1,500,000*

CONSERVATION FUND

(Opened in 1988 in accordance with RSA 36-A:5)

Beginning balance January 1, 2000		$ 8,673
Deposits to account:		
Balance of 2000 appropriation	275	
Interest earnings	+ 255	
		+ 530
No Expenditures		0
Ending Balance December 31, 2000		**$ 9,203**

CONSERVATION / Land Use Change Tax Fund

(Authorized by vote of 1999 Town Meeting in accordance with RSA 79-A:25 II)

Account opened with 1999 fund appropriation	$ 5,000
Income to account: Interest earnings	+ 132
No Expenditures	0
Ending Balance December 31, 2000	**$ 5,132**

(Treasurer continued)

POLICE/DRUG FORFEITURE MONIES
(Opened in 1990 in accordance with RSA 318-B:17-c)

Beginning balance January 1, 2000	$ 19
Income to account: Interest earnings	+ 1
	20
No Expenditures	0
Ending Balance December 31, 2000	**$ 20**

ESCROW ACCOUNT -- PERKINS ROAD IMPROVEMENT FUND
(Opened in 1992 under arrangements made by the Planning Board and a land owner)

Beginning balance January 1, 2000	$ 2,010
Income to account: Interest earnings	+ 39
	2,049
Road work complete, transferred monies to General Fund	2,049
Account Closed - Balance December 31, 2000	**0**

RECREATION COMMISSION - NON-LAPSING FUND
(Authorized by vote at the 1995 Town Meeting, in accordance with RSA 35-B:2,11)

Beginning balance January 1, 2000		$ 39,760
Reimbursement to General Fund for 1999 appropriation		-23,160
		16,600
Deposits to account:		
Receipts	$32,346	
Interest earnings	+ 1,006	
		+33,352
		49,952
Expenditures:		
Payments from account	6,754	
Reimburse General Fund for 2000 appropriation	+32,586	
		-39,340
Ending Balance December 31, 2000		**$ 10,612**

Respectfully submitted,

Susan S. Shannon

Susan S. Shannon, Treasurer
February 14, 2001

INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT



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INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

To the Members of the
Board of Selectmen
Town of Sanbornton
Sanbornton, New Hampshire

We have audited the accompanying general purpose financial statements of the Town of Sanbornton as of and for the year ended December 31, 2000 as listed in the table of contents. These general purpose financial statements are the responsibility of the Town's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these general purpose financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

The general purpose financial statements referred to above do not include the general fixed assets account group which should be included in order to conform with generally accepted accounting principles. As is the case with most municipal entities in the State of New Hampshire, the Town of Sanbornton has not maintained historical cost records of its fixed assets. The amount that should be recorded in the general fixed assets account group is not known.

Also, the general purpose financial statements referred to above do not include the trust funds, which should be included in order to conform with generally accepted accounting principles. Because the accounts and records of the Town's trust funds were not complete and available for audit, the amounts of assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenditures as of and for the year ended December 31, 2000 are not known.

In our opinion, except for the effect on the financial statements of the omissions described in the preceding paragraphs, the general purpose financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Town of Sanbornton as of December 31, 2000, and the results of its operations for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

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Town of Sanbornton
Independent Auditor's Report

Our audit was made for the purpose of forming an opinion on the general purpose financial statements of the Town of Sanbornton taken as a whole. The combining and individual fund financial statements listed as schedules in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the general purpose financial statements of the Town of Sanbornton. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the general purpose financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the general purpose financial statements taken as a whole.

January 25, 2001

Plodzik & Sanderson
Professional Association

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SCHEDULE A-1
TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
General Fund
Statement of Estimated and Actual Revenues
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2000

REVENUES	Estimated	Actual	Over (Under) Estimate
Taxes			
Property	$ 1,059,094	$ 1,039,673	$ (19,421)
Land Use Change	18,000	14,988	(3,012)
Yield	27,000	42,456	15,456
Payment in Lieu of Taxes	1,200		(1,200)
Interest and Penalties on Taxes	38,700	33,335	(5,365)
Other	1,956	448	(1,508)
Total Taxes	1,145,950	1,130,900	(15,050)
Licenses, Permits and Fees			
Business Licenses, Permits and Fees	20,084	19,681	(403)
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	422,900	427,684	4,784
Building Permits	6,800	6,923	123
Total Licenses, Permits and Fees	449,784	454,288	4,504
Intergovernmental			
State			
Shared Revenue	22,146	22,146	
Highway Block Grant	84,618	84,618	
Rooms and Meals Distribution	52,338	52,338	
State and Federal Forest Land Reimbursement	616	616	
Flood Control Reimbursement	22,619	22,879	260
Other	19,189	29,819	10,630
Total Intergovernmental	201,526	212,416	10,890
Charges For Services			
Income From Departments	43,414	78,778	35,364
Miscellaneous			
Sale of Municipal Property	1,153	1,153	
Interest on Investments	27,500	26,548	(952)
Other	124,173	48,660	(75,513)
Total Miscellaneous	152,826	76,361	(76,465)
Other Financing Sources			
Proceeds of General Obligation Debt			
General Obligation Bonds	45,000	45,000	
Operating Transfers In			
Interfund Transfers			
Capital Project Fund		24,826	24,826
Trust Funds			
Expendable			
Capital Reserve	124,128	104,908	(19,220)
Total Other Financing Sources	169,128	174,734	5,606
Total Revenues and Other Financing Sources	$ 2,162,628	$ 2,127,477	$ (35,151)

See Independent Auditor's Report, pages 1 and 2.

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SCHEDULE A-2
TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
General Fund
Statement of Appropriations, Expenditures and Encumbrances
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2000

	Encumbered From 1999	Appropriations 2000	Expenditures Net of Refunds	Encumbered To 2001	(Over) Under Budget
Current					
General Government					
Executive	$	$ 55,930	$ 51,674	$	$ 4,256
Election, Registration, and Vital Statistics		11,296	12,476		(1,180)
Financial Administration		119,485	120,515		(1,030)
Revaluation of Property		34,100	36,474		(2,374)
Legal		9,000	7,934		1,066
Personnel Administration		188,114	193,525		(5,411)
Planning and Zoning		22,956	18,240		4,716
General Government Buildings		55,546	57,716		(2,170)
Cemeteries		4,000	3,009		991
Insurance, not otherwise allocated		36,000	22,613		13,387
Other		800	1,133		(333)
Total General Government		537,227	525,309		11,918
Public Safety					
Police Department		258,890	266,357		(7,467)
Fire Department		84,635	101,784		(17,149)
Emergency Management		1,600	1,778		(178)
Other		22,950	1,204		21,746
Total Public Safety		368,075	371,123		(3,048)
Highways and Streets					
Highways and Streets		424,618	438,597		(13,979)
Bridges		3,000			3,000
Street Lighting		2,100	2,042		58
Other		1,000			1,000
Total Highways and Streets		430,718	440,639		(9,921)
Sanitation					
Solid Waste Disposal		145,600	146,864		(1,264)
Sewage Collection and Disposal		661			661
Total Sanitation		146,261	146,864		(603)
Health					
Administration		3,250	3,876		(626)
Animal Control		500	268		232
Health Agencies and Hospitals		36,457	32,580		3,877
Total Health		40,207	36,724		3,483
Welfare					
Vendor Payments		20,000	19,935		65

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SCHEDULE A-2 (Continued)
TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
General Fund
Statement of Appropriations, Expenditures and Encumbrances
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2000

	Encumbered From 1999	Appropriations 2000	Expenditures Net of Refunds	Encumbered To 2001	(Over) Under Budget
Culture and Recreation					
Parks and Recreation		16,600	16,600		
Patriotic Purposes		100	100		
Other		2,000	2,000		
Total Culture and Recreation		18,700	18,700		
Debt Service					
Principal - Long-Term Debt		55,000	50,000		5,000
Interest - Long-Term Debt		11,797	11,317		480
Interest - Tax Anticipation Notes		53,000	51,687		1,313
Total Debt Service		119,797	113,004		6,793
Capital Outlay					
Hunkins Pond Road		8,750		8,750	
Highway Truck		59,282	53,086		6,196
Police Cruisers		63,172	63,223		(51)
Ambulance		50,000	45,000		5,000
Fire Equipment		8,375	8,375		
Fire Truck		45,000			45,000
Steele Hill Road		100,000	50,000	50,000	
State Aid Reconstruction	62,933			62,933	
Landfill Closure Engineering	50,000		13,003	36,997	
Tank Removal	14,000		4,902	8,773	325
Forestry Grants	20,000		10,566		9,434
Total Capital Outlay	146,933	334,579	248,155	167,453	65,904
Other Financing Uses					
Operating Transfers Out					
Interfund Transfers					
Special Revenue Funds		68,064	68,064		
Trust Funds					
Expendable		79,000	79,000		
Total Operating Transfers Out		147,064	147,064		
Total Appropriations, Expenditures and Encumbrances	$ 146,933	$ 2,162,628	$ 2,067,517	$ 167,453	$ 74,591

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EXHIBIT A
TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
Combined Balance Sheet
All Fund Types and Account Group
December 31, 2000

ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS	Governmental Fund Types: General	Governmental Fund Types: Special Revenue	Fiduciary Fund Type: Agency	Account Group: General Long-Term Debt	Total (Memorandum Only)
Assets					
Cash and Equivalents	$ 1,260,790	$ 66,503	$	$	$ 1,327,293
Investments		8,690			8,690
Receivables (Net of Allowance For Uncollectible)					
Taxes	1,878,624				1,878,624
Accounts	16,667	1,340			18,007
Intergovernmental	4,800				4,800
Interfund Receivable		76,768	1,269,164		1,345,932
Other Debits					
Amount to be Provided for Retirement of General Long-Term Debt				1,197,870	1,197,870
TOTAL ASSETS AND OTHER DEBITS	$ 3,160,881	$ 153,301	$ 1,269,164	$ 1,197,870	$ 5,781,216
LIABILITIES AND EQUITY					
Liabilities					
Accounts Payable	$ 9,178	$	$	$	$ 9,178
Intergovernmental Payable			1,269,164		1,269,164
Interfund Payable	1,345,932				1,345,932
Deferred Tax Revenue	2,752				2,752
Tax Anticipation Notes Payable	1,500,000				1,500,000
General Obligation Bond/Note Payable				180,000	180,000
Capital Lease Payable				14,830	14,830
Accrued Landfill Closure and Postclosure Care Costs				1,003,040	1,003,040
Total Liabilities	2,857,862		1,269,164	1,197,870	5,324,896
Equity					
Fund Balances					
Reserved For Encumbrances	167,453				167,453
Unreserved					
Designated For Special Purposes		153,301			153,301
Undesignated	135,566				135,566
Total Equity	303,019	153,301			456,320
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND EQUITY	$ 3,160,881	$ 153,301	$ 1,269,164	$ 1,197,870	$ 5,781,216

The notes to financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

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EXHIBIT B
TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
All Governmental Fund Types
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2000

	General	Special Revenue	Capital Projects	Total (Memorandum Only)
Revenues				
Taxes	$ 1,130,900	$ 5,000	$	$ 1,135,900
Licenses and Permits	454,288			454,288
Intergovernmental	218,929			218,929
Charges for Services	78,778	119,937		198,715
Miscellaneous	76,361	28,788		105,149
Other Financing Sources				
Proceeds of General Obligation Debt	45,000		95,000	140,000
Operating Transfers In	129,734	68,064		197,798
Total Revenues and Other Financing Sources	2,133,990	221,789	95,000	2,450,779
Expenditures				
Current				
General Government	525,309			525,309
Public Safety	377,636	38,408		416,044
Highways and Streets	440,639			440,639
Sanitation	146,864	32,955		179,819
Health	36,724			36,724
Welfare	19,935			19,935
Culture and Recreation	18,700	106,048		124,748
Conservation		675		675
Debt Service	113,004			113,004
Capital Outlay	248,155		80,000	328,155
Other Financing Uses				
Operating Transfers Out	147,064		24,826	171,890
Total Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	2,074,030	178,086	104,826	2,356,942
Excess (Deficiency) of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over (Under) Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	59,960	43,703	(9,826)	93,837
Fund Balances (As Restated, See Note 5C) - January 1	243,059	109,598	9,826	362,483
Fund Balances - December 31	$ 303,019	$ 153,301	$ -0-	$ 456,320

The notes to financial statements are an integral part of this statement.

(Independent Auditor continued)

SCHEDULE A-3
TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
General Fund
Statement of Changes in Unreserved - Undesignated Fund Balance
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2000

Unreserved - Undesignated Fund Balance - January 1 (As Restated, See Note 5C)		$ 96,126
Addition		
2000 Budget Summary		
Revenue Shortfall (Schedule A-1)	$ (35,151)	
Unexpended Balance of Appropriations (Schedule A-2)	74,591	
2000 Budget Surplus		39,440
Unreserved - Undesignated Fund Balance - December 31		$ 135,566

See Independent Auditor's Report, pages 1 and 2.

(Independent Auditor continued)

EXHIBIT C
TOWN OF SANBORNTON, NEW HAMPSHIRE
Combined Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Changes in Fund Balances
Budget and Actual (Budgetary Basis)
General and Special Revenue Funds
For the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2000

	General Fund		
	Budget	Actual	Variance Favorable (Unfavorable)
Revenues			
Taxes	$ 1,145,950	$ 1,130,900	$ (15,050)
Licenses and Permits	449,784	454,288	4,504
Intergovernmental	201,526	212,416	10,890
Charges for Services	43,414	78,778	35,364
Miscellaneous	152,826	76,361	(76,465)
Other Financing Sources			
Proceeds of General Obligation Debt	45,000	45,000	
Operating Transfers In	124,128	129,734	5,606
Total Revenues and Other Financing Sources	2,162,628	2,127,477	(35,151)
Expenditures			
Current			
General Government	537,227	525,309	11,918
Public Safety	368,075	371,123	(3,048)
Highways and Streets	430,718	440,639	(9,921)
Sanitation	146,261	146,864	(603)
Health	40,207	36,724	3,483
Welfare	20,000	19,935	65
Culture and Recreation	18,700	18,700	
Debt Service	119,797	113,004	6,793
Capital Outlay	334,579	268,675	65,904
Other Financing Uses			
Operating Transfers Out	147,064	147,064	
Total Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	2,162,628	2,088,037	74,591
Excess of Revenues and Other Financing Sources Over Expenditures and Other Financing Uses	$ -0-	39,440	$ 39,440
Unreserved Fund Balances - January 1 (As Restated, see Note 5C)		96,126	
Unreserved Fund Balances - December 31		$ 135,566	

SUMMARY OF VALUATION

Value of Land Only	
Current Use (at current use values)	$ 1,725,141
Residential	74,157,627
Commercial/Industrial	3,896,044
Total of Taxable Land	$ 79,778,812
Value of Buildings Only	
Residential	$ 90,912,760
Manufactured Housing	1,561,400
Commercial/Industrial	10,101,862
Total of Taxable Buildings	$ 102,576,022
Public Utilities	
Total of Taxable Public Utilities	$ 2,842,000
VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS	**$185,196,834**
Exemptions	
Elderly	$ 210,000
Solar Power	65,046
Total of Exemptions	$ 275,046
Net Evaluation On Which the Tax Rate for Municipal, County & Local Education Tax is Computed	$184,921,788
Less Public Utilities	2,842,000
SANBORNTON'S NET VALUATION	**$182,079,788**

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FIVE YEAR TAX RATE COMPARISON

	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000
Town	5.23	5.55	5.34	5.13	5.91
School (Local)	14.07	14.02	14.65	6.66	7.61
School (State)				6.59	6.47
County	1.81	1.99	1.82	1.92	2.09
Total Rate	**21.11**	**21.56**	**21.81**	**20.30**	**22.08**

TAX RATE COMPUTATION FOR 2000

		TOTALS	TAX RATE
Town Portion:			
Appropriations	$2,212.030		
Less: Revenues	1,142,042		
Less: Shared Revenues	8,497		
Add: Overlay	10,935		
Add: War Service Credits	20,700		
Net Town Appropriation		$ 1,093,126	
Municipal Tax Rate			$5.91
School Portion:			
Due to Local School	$ 0		
Due to Regional School	2,984,437		
Less: Adequate Education Grant	399,845		
Less: State Education Taxes	1,177,167		
Net School Appropriation		$1,407,425	
Local Education Tax Rate			$7.61
State Education Taxes			
Equalized Valuation (no utilities) x 6.60			
178,358,681		1,177,167	
Divide by Local Assessed Valuation (no utilities)			
182,079,788			$6.47
Excess State Education Taxes to be Remitted to State		0	
County Portion:			
Due to County	$389,365		
Less: Shared Revenues	2,397		
Net County Appropriation		$ 386,968	
County Tax Rate			$2.09
COMBINED TAX RATE:			**$22.08**

Commitment Analysis:	
Total Property Taxes Assessed	$4,064,686
Less: War Service Credits	20,700
TOTAL PROPERTY TAX COMMITMENT	**$4,043,986**

Proof of Rate:

	Net Assessed Valuation	Tax Rate	Assessment
State Education Tax	$182,079,788	$6.47	$1,177,167
All Other Taxes	184,921,788	15.61	2,887,519
			4,064,686

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS REPORT

The Trustees held regular meetings about every month throughout the year. The financial report shows a reasonable growth for the year.

The board awarded several scholarships to local students requesting assistance. We would also remind other students going on to higher schools of learning that the town trust funds have monies available to help pay for classes and or books. The application process is relatively simple.

This year the board of trustees was able to pass on some earned interest to the Churches in town from some of the trust funds established for this purpose.

The Old Graveyards and Cemeteries Committee reported an active year of mowing and trimming cemeteries in town; their services were paid for from established trust funds.

The board members would like to thank Ed LeBel for his service as a trustee throughout the years.

Wayne Elliott, Chairman
Edwin LeBel, Treasurer
Daryl Woods, Secretary

(Trustees of Trust Funds continued)

SUMMARY OF INVESTED FUNDS

Trust Funds	Balance 12/31/1999	New Funds	Principal Additions	Balance 12/31/2000	Income Balance 12/31/1999	Income Earned in 2000	Expenses in 2000	Balance 12/31/2000	Total Principal & Income as of 12/31/2000
Cemetery Funds	8,338.82	12.92		8,351.74	14,003.33	886.96	425.00	14,465.29	22,817.03
Cemetery Funds	11,242.29	17.42		11,259.71	17,476.49	1,196.79	150.00	18,522.28	29,781.99
Library Funds	25,319.32	39.23		25,358.55	3,724.67	2,693.09	2,500.00	3,917.76	29,276.31
Needy & Poor Funds	20,661.43	32.00		20,683.43	24,380.24	2,196.59		26,576.83	47,260.26
School & Parsonage	3,289.80	5.10		3,294.90	1,715.00	349.92	1,500.00	564.92	3,859.82
School & Cemetery	5,582.26	8.65		5,590.91	6,048.69	593.76		6,642.45	12,233.36
Scholarship Funds	27,041.40	41.90		27,083.30	13,279.13	2,876.26	4,500.00	11,655.39	38,738.69
Fireman's Memorial Scholarship	6,271.12	9.72	150.00	6,430.84	3,157.06	667.03	-	3,824.09	10,254.93
Playground Funds	781.41	1.21		782.62	653.49	83.11	-	736.60	1,519.23
Veterans Memorial Trust	1,265.70	1.96	20.00	1,287.66	1,309.62	134.63	113.00	1,331.25	2,618.91
Total	109,783.55	170.12	170.00	110,123.67	85,747.72	11,677.13	9,188.00	88,236.86	198,360.52

(Trustees of Trust Funds continued)

CAPITAL RESERVE FUNDS

Capital Reserve Funds	Balance 12/31/99	Additions per 2000 Town Meeting	Interest 12/31/00	Withdrawals per Selectmen in 2000	Balance 12/31/00
Heavy Equipment	115,499.38	20,000.00	7,488.68	53,082.00	89,906.06
Town Building Improvement	45,734.06	15,000.00	2,965.27	28,545.71	35,153.62
New Fire Truck	13,848.97	5,000.00	897.93	10,000.00	9,746.90
Sanitary Landfill	91,143.25		5,909.47		97,052.72
Road/Bridge Construction	38,381.68	4,000.00	2,488.56		44,870.24
Winnisquam Fire Department	4,938.77		247.31		5,186.08
Winnisquam Ambulance Replacement	10,000.00		653.89	10,653.89	
Winnisquam Radio Replacement	2,500.00		126.25	2,626.25	
Town Park	754.88		17.53		772.41
Fire Truck Repair/Refurbish	11,193.62	5,000.00	725.76		16,919.38
Fire Department Rescue Vehicle	15,821.36	10,000.00	1,082.72	10,000.00	16,904.08
Fire Department Radio Replacement	5,000.00	10,000.00	252.49		15,252.49
Town Library		10,000.00			10,000.00
TOTAL	354,815.97	79,000.00	22,855.86	114,907.85	341,763.98

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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE
DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION
MUNICIPAL SERVICES DIVISION
P.O. BOX 487, CONCORD, NH 03302-0487
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BUDGET OF THE TOWN/CITY

OF: SANBORNTON, NH

BUDGET FORM FOR TOWNS WHICH HAVE ADOPTED
THE PROVISIONS OF RSA 32:14 THROUGH 32:24

Appropriations and Estimates of Revenue for the Ensuing Year January 1, 2001 to December 31, 2001

or Fiscal Year From _____ to _____

IMPORTANT:

Please read RSA 32:5 applicable to all municipalities.

1. Use this form to list the entire budget in the appropriate recommended and not recommended area. This means the operating budget and all special and individual warrant articles must be posted.

2. Hold at least one public hearing on this budget.

3. When completed, a copy of the budget must be posted with the warrant. Another copy must be placed on file with the town clerk, and a copy sent to the Department of Revenue Administration at the above address.

We Certify This Form Was Posted on (Date): 2/21/01

BUDGET COMMITTEE
Please sign in ink.

THIS BUDGET SHALL BE POSTED WITH THE TOWN WARRANT

ACCT #	ACCOUNT		2001 APPROPRIATION RECOMMENDATIONS					
					Selectmen	Selectmen	Budget Comm.	Budget Comm
		00 approp	00 actuals	01 Req.	Recomm	Not Recom.	Recomm	Not Recom.
4130	Executive Expenses	$ 55,430	$ 51,674	$ 51,900	$ 51,290	$ (610)	$ 51,290	$ (610)
4130.9	Building Space Needs	$ 500	$ -	$ 250	$ 500	$ 250	$ 250	$ -
4140	Elections & Registration	$ 4,346	$ 6,226	$ 3,425	$ 3,425	$ -	$ 3,425	$ -
4140.9	Election Counting Mach	$ 6,950	$ 6,250	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
4150	Financial Administration	$ 118,485	$ 119,477	$ 66,160	$ 66,160	$ -	$ 66,160	$ -
4150.1	Newsletter	$ 1,000	$ 1,038	$ 1,000	$ 1,000	$ -	$ 1,000	$ -
4150.4	Town Clerk	$ -	$ -	$ 60,800	$ 60,232	$ (568)	$ 60,232	$ (568)
4152.2	Revaluation of Property	$ 34,100	$ 36,474	$ 25,000	$ 25,000	$ -	$ 25,000	$ -
4153	Legal Expenses	$ 9,000	$ 7,934	$ 20,000	$ 22,000	$ -	$ 22,000	$ -
4155.1	Pers'l Adm-FICA/Med.	$ 38,284	$ 41,505	$ 41,000	$ 40,988	$ (12)	$ 40,988	$ (12)
4155.3	Retirement	$ 14,230	$ 20,678	$ 23,500	$ 23,493	$ (7)	$ 23,493	$ (7)
4155.7	Pers..Adm.Aetna/Health	$ 125,000	$ 119,581	$ 130,000	$ 130,000	$ -	$ 130,000	$ -
4155.8	Pers.Adm Wkers Comp	$ 10,000	$ 11,130	$ 10,600	$ 10,600	$ -	$ 10,600	$ -
4155.9	Unemployment Comp.	$ 600	$ 631	$ 300	$ 300	$ -	$ 300	$ -
4191.1	Planning Board	$ 17,905	$ 14,625	$ 17,405	$ 17,405	$ -	$ 17,405	$ -
4191.3	Zoning Board	$ 2,400	$ 1,059	$ 1,500	$ 1,500	$ -	$ 1,500	$ -
4191.4	Historic District Com.	$ 300	$ 205	$ 300	$ 300	$ -	$ 300	$ -
4191.9	L.R.P.C.	$ 2,351	$ 2,351	$ 2,429	$ 2,429	$ -	$ 2,429	$ -
4194	General Gov't. Bldg.	$ 27,000	$ 29,171	$ 32,000	$ 32,000	$ -	$ 32,000	$ -
4195	Cemeteries	$ 2,000	$ 2,000	$ 2,000	$ 2,000	$ -	$ 2,000	$ -
4195.1	Cemetery Committee	$ 2,000	$ 1,009	$ 2,000	$ 2,000	$ -	$ 2,000	$ -
4196	Insurance-Misc. Casualty	$ 35,000	$ 22,440	$ 27,000	$ 27,000	$ -	$ 27,000	$ -
4196.9	Insurance Deductible	$ 1,000	$ 173	$ 1,000	$ 500	$ (500)	$ 500	$ (500)
4199	Budget Committee	$ 800	$ 1,133	$ 1,000	$ 1,000	$ -	$ 1,000	$ -
4210	Police Department	$ 258,890	$ 266,357	$ 272,478	$ 269,076	$ (3,402)	$ 269,076	$ (3,402)

4210.6	Police Details	$ 21,400	$ 38,408	$ 28,500	$ 28,500	$ -	$ 28,500	$ -
4220	Sanbornton Fire Dept.	$ 68,960	$ 65,409	$ 56,250	$ 56,250	$ -	$ 56,250	$ -
4220.5	SFD Radios	$ -	$ -	$ 30,000	$ 30,000	$ -	$ 30,000	$ -
4220.9	L. R. Mutual Aid Bldg	$ 22,200	$ 22,200	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
4290.1	Emergency Mgt OP	$ 1,600	$ 1,701	$ 2,105	$ 2,000	$ (105)	$ 1,800	$ (305)
4290.2	E-911	$ -	$ -	$ 330	$ 330	$ -	$ 330	$ -
4290.4	Forest Fire Control	$ 1,500	$ 77	$ 1,000	$ 1,000	$ -	$ 1,000	$ -
4299.2	Win. Fire Department	$ 14,175	$ 14,175	$ 15,840	$ 15,000	$ (840)	$ 15,000	$ (840)
4299.3	Highway Safety Com.	$ 750	$ 1,204	$ 1,500	$ 1,500	$ -	$ 1,204	$ (296)
4312	Highways & Streets	$ 340,000	$ 341,263	$ 402,035	$ 343,000	$ (59,035)	$ 340,000	$ (62,035)
4312.1	Highway Block Grant	$ 84,618	$ 84,486	$ 90,932	$ 90,932	$ -	$ 90,932	$ -
4312.9	Street Sign	$ 1,000	$ 1,266	$ 2,000	$ 1,500	$ (500)	$ 1,500	$ (500)
4313	Town Bridges	$ 3,000	$ -	$ 4,000	$ 4,000	$ -	$ 4,000	$ -
4316	Street Lighting	$ 2,100	$ 2,042	$ 2,100	$ 2,100	$ -	$ 2,100	$ -
4324	Transfer Station	$ 144,641	$ 145,905	$ 160,005	$ 176,281	$ -	$ 176,281	$ -
4324.5	Hazardous Waste Day	$ 959	$ 959	$ 959	$ 959	$ -	$ 959	$ -
4324.9	Stump Grinding	$ -	$ -	$ 15,000	$ 15,000	$ -	$ 15,000	$ -
4326	Win. River Basin Program	$ 29,661	$ 32,956	$ 30,378	$ 30,378	$ -	$ 30,378	$ -
4411	Health Dept.	$ 3,250	$ 3,876	$ 4,200	$ 3,700	$ (500)	$ 3,700	$ (500)
4414	Animal Control	$ 500	$ 268	$ 500	$ 500	$ -	$ 500	$ -
4415.1	Youth Assistance Prog	$ 25,271	$ 21,394	$ 26,553	$ 26,553	$ -	$ 26,553	$ -
4415.2	L.R. Com. Health & Hospice	$ 4,500	$ 4,500	$ 2,300	$ 2,300	$ -	$ 2,300	$ -
4415.3	L.R Family Services	$ 2,625	$ 2,625	$ 2,625	$ 2,625	$ -	$ 2,625	$ -
4415.4	L.R. Community Services	$ 200	$ 200	$ 200	$ 200	$ -	$ 200	$ -
4415.5	New Beginnings	$ 1,200	$ 1,200	$ 1,200	$ 1,200	$ -	$ 1,200	$ -
4415.6	Community Action Prog	$ 1,161	$ 1,161	$ 1,227	$ 1,227	$ -	$ 1,227	$ -
4419	Humane Society	$ 1,500	$ 1,500	$ 2,000	$ 2,000	$ -	$ 2,000	$ -

		00 approp	00 actuals	01 Req.	Selectmen Recomm	Selectmen Not Recom.	Budget Comm. Recomm	Budget Comm Not Recom.
4445	Welfare-Gen'l Assistance	$ 20,000	$ 19,935	$ 25,000	$ 20,000	$ (5,000)	$ 20,000	$ (5,000)
4520	Recreation	$ 44,148	$ 49,186	$ 52,798	$ 52,798	$ -	$ 52,798	$ -
4550	Library	$ 66,729	$ 66,729	$ 68,376	$ 68,376	$ -	$ 68,376	$ -
4583	Patriotic Purposes	$ 100	$ 100	$ 100	$ 100	$ -	$ 100	$ -
4589.1	Moulton's Band	$ 2,000	$ 2,000	$ 2,000	$ 2,000	$ -	$ 2,000	$ -
4611	Conservation Committee	$ 1,335	$ 675	$ 1,335	$ 1,335	$ -	$ 1,335	$ -
4711	Debt. Ser.-It bond	15000	$ 15,000	$ 15,000	$ 15,000	$ -	$ 15,000	$ -
4711.1	Dept. Ser.Prin It note	$ 40,000	$ 35,000	$ 70,000	$ 70,000	$ -	$ 70,000	$ -
4721	Debt. Ser.-Int. LT Bonds	$ 7,677	$ 7,677	$ 6,356	$ 6,356	$ -	$ 6,356	$ -
4721.1	P&I-LT note/interest	$ 4,120	$ 3,640	$ 4,550	$ 4,550	$ -	$ 4,550	$ -
4723	Tax Anticip Notes-Int	$ 53,000	$ 51,687	$ 53,000	$ 53,000	$ -	$ 53,000	$ -
4901	Study Hermit Wds Cemt.	$ -	$ -	$ 2,000	$ 2,000	$ -	$ 2,000	$ -
4902	Cap. Outlay-Pol. Cruisers	$ 63,172	$ 63,223	$ 15,685	$ 15,685	$ -	$ 15,685	$ -
4902.11	New Fire Truck	$ 45,000	$ 46,774	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
4902.1	SFD Ambulance	$ 30,000	$ 30,000	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
4902.3	Loader	$ -	$ -	$ 97,900	$ 20,611	$ (77,289)	$ 20,611	$ (77,289)
4902.4	WFD Ambulance	$ 20,000	$ 15,000	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
4902.5	WFD Radios	$ 8,375	$ 8,375	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
4902.6	Fork Lift	$ -	$ -	$ 15,000	$ 7,500	$ (7,500)	$ 7,500	$ (7,500)
4902.7	New Highway Truck	$ 59,282	$ 53,086	$ 44,800	$ 44,800	$ -	$ 44,800	$ -
4902.8	Chief's Vehicle	$ -	$ -	$ 29,700	$ 29,700	$ -	$ 29,700	$ -
4903	Library Addition	$ -	$ -	$ 323,000	$ 323,000	$ -	$ 323,000	$ -
4909	Life Safety Bldng Wiring	$ -	$ -	$ 3,308	$ -	$ (3,308)	$ -	$ (3,308)
4909.6	Landfill Closure	$ -	$ -	$ 600,000	$ 600,000	$ -	$ 600,000	$ -
4909.7	WFD Well	$ -	$ -	$ 2,400	$ -	$ (2,400)	$ -	$ (2,400)
4909.8	Steele Hill Road	$ 100,000	$ 50,000	$ 100,000	$ 100,000	$ -	$ 100,000	$ -
4909.9	Hunkins Pond Road	$ 8,750	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -

4911.1	Repair of Town Bldgs	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
4915.1	CRF Town Bldg. Imp.	$ 15,000	$ 15,000	$ 15,000	$ 10,000	$ (5,000)	$ 10,000	$ (5,000)
4915.13	CRF Library Addition	$ 10,000	$ 10,000	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
4915.3	CRF Fire Truck	$ 5,000	$ 5,000	$ 10,000	$ 5,000	$ (5,000)	$ 5,000	$ (5,000)
4915.4	CRF Hwy Heavy Equip.	$ 20,000	$ 20,000	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
4915.5	CRF Fire Truck Refurb	$ 5,000	$ 5,000	$ 5,000	$ 5,000	$ -	$ 5,000	$ -
4915.7	CRF Rescue Vehicle	$ 10,000	$ 10,000	$ 5,000	$ 5,000	$ -	$ 5,000	$ -
4915.8	CRF Roads & Bridges	$ 4,000	$ 4,000	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
4915.9	CRF SFD Radios	$ 10,000	$ 10,000	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -	$ -
	TOTAL EXP.	**$ 2,212,030**	**$ 2,148,982**	**$ 3,244,094**	**$ 3,091,044**	**$ (171,326)**	**$ 3,087,298**	**$ (175,072)**

TOWN OF SANBORNTON (REVENUE)

ACCTS	REVENUE ACCOUNTS	2000 Anticipated	2000 Actuals	2001 Anticipated
	Inventory Penalties	$ -	-	$ 4,000
3120	Land Use Charge Taxes	$ 1,000	10,564	$ 15,000
3185	Yield Taxes	$ 20,000	27,744	$ 40,000
3185.1	Excavation Tax ($.02/cy)	$ 1,000	448	$ 500
3185.2	Excavation Activity Tax	$ -	-	$ 1,200
3190	Interest & Penalties	$ 55,000	33,335	$ 40,000
3210.4	UCC Filing Fees	$ 1,500	1,675	$ 1,456
3220	Motor Vehicles	$ 337,000	427,684	$ 425,000
3221	Sticker Program Fees	$ 8,000	8,400	$ 8,600
3230	Building Permits	$ 5,000	6,923	$ 10,000
3290	Other Licenses Permits, Fees	$ 8,200	9,606	$ 9,684
3290.9	Current Use Fees	$ 100	84	$ 100
3351	Shared Revenue Block Grant	$ 64,761	74,484	$ 11,252
	room and meals grant	$ -	-	$ 63,232
3353	Highway Block Grant	$ 84,618	84,618	$ 90,932
3356	State Federal Forest Lands	$ 584	616	$ 616
3357	Flood Control	$ 22,619	22,879	$ 22,619
3359.1	Class VI/Forest Cleanup	$ 10,000	29,189	$ -
3379.2	Payment in Lieu of Taxes (gov't)	$ 1,200	554	$ 600
3379.3	Forest Fire Reimbursement	$ 1,200	77	$ 1,000
3401.1	Planning Board	$ 2,300	2,223	$ 2,300
3401.2	Police Department	$ 7,000	696	$ 3,500
3401.3	Zoning Board	$ 800	450	$ 500
3401.5	Outside Police Officer	$ 27,700	44,653	$ 36,894
3401.6	Fire Department	$ -	1,020	$ 500
3403	Sewer User Charges (incl. Intere	$ 29,661	29,073	$ 30,378
3404.3	Transfer Station Fees	$ 30,000	28,094	$ 35,000
3404.4	Transfer Station Recycling	$ 8,000	8,038	$ 8,000
3404.5	Transfer Station-Sale of Bags	$ 32,000	38,175	$ 37,000
3409.5	Recreation	$ 27,584	32,586	$ 32,798
3501.1	Sale of Town Property	$ 501	1,153	$ 35,000
3501.2	Trade in on Town Truck	$ 6,200	-	$ 10,500
3502	Interest on Deposits	$ 30,000	26,548	$ 28,000
3503.1	Rent of Town Property	$ 50	75	$ 100
3506.4	Health Ins. Reimbursement	$ 19,510	12,684	$ 13,000
3506.6	Other ins. Reimbursements	$ 20,100	19,337	$ 12,000
	Steele Hill Resort	$ 33,333	16,667	$ 33,333
3509	Miscellaneous Receipts	$ 12,000	36,259	$ 12,000
3509.1	Overpayments	$ -	-	$ -
3509.2	Assistance Repayments	$ 2,000	816	$ 1,000
3915	Transfer from CRF	$ 65,582.00	114,908	$ 159,300
	Truck	$ -	45,000	$ -
	Landfill	$ -		$ 450,000
	Library Addition			$ 198,000
				$ 40,000
				$ 75,000
	NET REVENUE	$ 976,103.00	1,197,332	$ 1,999,894.00

Town of Sanbornton, New Hampshire

Warrant

The polls will be open from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Sanbornton in the County of Belknap in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Sanbornton on Tuesday, the Thirteenth day of March, in the year Two Thousand One, to act on the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the ensuing year.
2. To choose all necessary District Officers for the Winnisquam Regional School District.
3. To vote on the following Amendments:

Amendment #1
Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment No. 1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 4 (General Provisions) and add Paragraph S (Recreational Campgrounds) to allow recreational campgrounds by special exception from Zoning Board of Adjustment and Site Plan approval from Planning Board. Recreational campgrounds would be permitted in all Districts provided certain standards and conditions are met. Recreational campgrounds under this ordinance would be for temporary and recreational occupancy utilizing only tents and recreational vehicles (RVs). This amendment is not for the establishment or development of manufactured home parks.

Amendment #2
Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 4 (General Provisions) Paragraph J (Private Family Cemeteries) Section (3) to read; The property owner shall maintain a copy of the recorded cemetery lot layout and a copy shall be provided to the Town Office. At the time of a burial, the cemetery owner shall supply to the Town Office the deceased's name and grave lot number for the burial lot.

Amendment #3
Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 3 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 4 (General Provisions) Paragraph S (Home Occupation) Section (B)(1) to require filing a notification form with the Planning Board for a Level 1 Home Occupation. A copy of the form will be forwarded to the police chief, fire chief, and health officer.

Amendment #4

Are you in favor of adoption of Amendment No. 4 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Town Zoning Ordinance as follows:

Amend Article 4 (General Provisions) Paragraph (S)(B)(2) (Level Two Home Occupation) to allow retail sales which are related or incidental to the goods and services rendered by the home occupation. The police chief, fire chief, and health officer shall also review the proposed home occupation and provide comment and recommendations, if applicable.

You are hereby notified to meet at the Sanbornton Central School in said Sanbornton on Wednesday, the Fourteenth day of March next at seven of the clock in the evening (7:00 p.m.) to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. Landfill Closure

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $600,000 to fund closure of the Sanbornton landfill, such sum to be raised by the issuance of serial bonds and notes not to exceed $450,000 under and in compliance with provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA Chapter 33); and to authorize the selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes in the name of or on the credit of the Town, and to determine the rate of interest thereon; to authorize the selectmen to invest said monies, with income derived from temporary investment of the bond proceeds returned to the General Fund; to authorize the participation in the State Revolving Fund (SRF) RSA 486:14, established for this purpose; and to allow the selectmen to expend such monies as become available from the federal and state governments; furthermore, to authorize the withdrawal of $100,000 from the Sanitary Landfill Capital Reserve Fund established for this purpose; with the balance of $50,000 to be raised by taxation. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation (two-thirds ballot vote required).

Article 2. Library Addition

To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $323,000 for the construction of an addition to the Sanbornton Public Library and to authorize the issuance of bonds and notes in an amount of not more than $198,000, in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA Chapter 33) and to authorize the selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes in the name of or on the credit of the Town, and to determine the rate of interest thereon; furthermore, to authorize the selectmen to invest said monies and to

use the earnings thereon for said project; furthermore, to authorize the use of the sum of $10,000 from the Library Construction/Reconstruction Capital Reserve Fund; and to authorize the expenditure of $75,000 previously raised by notes or bonds for the purposes of repair to Town buildings and facilities by Article 1 of the 1999 Town meeting, also in accordance with the Municipal Finance Act (RSA Chapter 33), with the balance of $40,000 to be expended from grants and donations received for this purpose. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation (two-thirds ballot vote required).

Article 3. Steele Hill Road
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $100,000 as the Town's portion of Phase Two of improvements to Steele Hill road under the State Aid Highway Program. Said Town appropriation will be offset by donation of $33,333 from Steele Hill Resort. (This is the second of a three-phase plan to reconstruct Steele Hill Road, a Class II state road. Work to be done by NH DOT. Under the 2:1 match program, NH DOT will contribute $200,000 towards Phase Two of the project. The three year project is estimated at $900,000.) The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 4. Highway Loader
To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to enter into a five year municipal lease/purchase agreement for the purpose of acquiring a new loader for the highway department, and to raise and appropriate the sum of $20,611 for the first year's payment for that purpose. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 5. Highway Truck
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $44,800 for the purchase of a new truck for the highway department, and to authorize the withdrawal of $34,300 from the Heavy Equipment Capital Reserve Fund, established for this purpose; the balance, $10,500, to be funded by trade-in of an existing vehicle. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 6. Highway Block Grant
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $90,932 to be received from the Highway Block Grant to be used for improvements to Hunkins Pond Road and March Road. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 7. Fire Department Vehicle
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $29,700 for the purchase of a 4 wheel drive vehicle for use by the Sanbornton Fire Department. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 8. 4-Wheel Drive Police Cruiser
To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $15,685 as the second and final payment on the 4-wheel drive police cruiser. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 9. Fire Department Radios
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $30,000 for the purchase of radios for the Fire Department, and to authorize the withdrawal of $15,000 from the capital reserve account established for this purpose, with the balance of $15,000 to be raised by taxation. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 10. Removal of Stumps
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $15,000 for the purpose of grinding and the removal of stumps from the landfill in preparation for closure of the landfill. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 11. Transfer Station Forklift
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $7,500 for the purchase of a forklift for use at the Sanbornton Transfer Station. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 12. Town Cemetery
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000 to evaluate the suitability of a 1.5 acre Town parcel located on Hermit Woods Road for use as a Town cemetery. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 13. Payments to Capital Reserve Accounts
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate $25,000 to be placed in capital reserve accounts. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Town Building Improvement Capital Reserve	$10,000
Fire Truck Capital Reserve	$ 5,000
Repair and Refurbishing Capital Reserve	$ 5,000
Rescue Vehicle Capital Reserve	$ 5,000

Article 14. Operating Budget
To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,783,070 which represents the operating budget for the Town. This Article does not include any of the previous Warrant Articles. The Board of Selectmen and the Budget Committee recommend this appropriation.

Article 15. Sale of Lot to Snowmobile Club

To see if the Town will vote to sell Tax Map 8, Lot 24, a Town-owned parcel on Mountain Road for the sum of $500.00, to the Mohawk Trail Riders Snowmobile Club, a non-profit organization, the proceeds to be deposited in the general fund. The Board of Selectmen recommends this sale.

Article 16. Sale of Town Lots

To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to sell the following town property. The Board of Selectmen and the Conservation Commission recommend sale of these lots.

Tax Map/Lot	Acreage	Location
2.008	.82	Drake Road
2.021	.34	Grove Drive
3.014	.34	Grove Drive
3.023	.34	Birch Drive
3.068	.46	Circle Court
3.099	.09	Kennedy Road
3.118	.50	Birch Point Road
9.020	1.00	Off Range Road
9.107	9.19	Old Mountain Road
10.069	*.17*	*Off Spring Road*
10.095	1.00	Steele Hill Road
11.091	.02	Black Brook Road
15.075	2.20	Shute Hill Road
18.012	1.60	Bay Road
20.083	.58	Schoolhouse Road
20.083-1	.40	Schoolhouse Road
21.046	13.00	Pound Road
25.012	6.23	New Hampton Road
25.025	.25	Mt. View Park Road
25.026	.21	Mt. View Park Road
25.027	.17	Mt. View Park Road
25.030	.12	Mt. View Park Road
25.034	.14	Mt. View Park Road

Article 17. Sale of Earth Materials

To see if the Town will authorize the selectmen to sell excess excavated earth material (clay) from the Town of Sanbornton highway department property located on Hunkins Pond Road.

Article 18. Steele Hill Conservation Easement
To see if the Town will vote to release the ten (10) acres of land belonging to Steele Hill Development, Inc., located on the east side of Steele Hill Road from the conservation easement established September 13, 1976, and to accept in its place a conservation easement on the west side of Steele Hill Road as depicted on Plan of SFC Engineering Partnerships, Inc., dated November 28, 2000, filed with the Planning Board.

Article 19. Discontinuance of Portion of Parker Hill Road
To see if the Town will vote to discontinue as an open highway and make subject to gates and bars that portion of Parker Hill Road beginning at its easterly most intersection of Hunkins Pond Road and extending westerly approximately 400 feet up the hill to a point terminating 10 feet easterly of the easterly side of the driveway on property of Catherine Creteau. By Petition.

Article 20. Discontinuance of Portion of Pound Road
To see if the Town will vote to discontinue as a highway a portion of Pound Road, beginning at property of the State of New Hampshire and traveling easterly a distance of 775 feet, and to authorize the selectmen to convey all interest of the Town to the abutting landowner (all costs of conveyance to be paid by the landowner).

Article 21. Acceptance of Portion of Upper Smith Road
To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen to accept as a class V Town maintained road a portion of Upper Smith Road, beginning at Bay Road and traveling easterly a distance of 100 feet. The acceptance is subject to improvements by property owners, to road standards of the town, and upon the approval and recommendation of the road agent.

Article 22. Sale of Tax Deeded Property
To see if the Town will vote to authorize the selectmen, indefinitely until specific rescission of such authority, to sell tax deeded property by advertised sealed bid or public auction or to otherwise dispose of said property as justice may require under the provisions of RSA 80:42 and RSA 80:80. (This is to clarify the vote on Article 2 of 1995 Town Meeting.)

Article 23. Other Business
To transact such other business as may legally come before the Town Meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this twenty-sixth day of February, Two Thousand and One.

T Salatiello
Tom Salatiello, Chairman

Evelyn Auger
Evelyn Auger

Selectmen of Sanbornton

Kevin Roy

A true copy of Warrant - Attest:

T Salatiello
Tom Salatiello, Chairman

Evelyn Auger
Evelyn Auger

Selectmen of Sanbornton

Kevin Roy

We hereby certify that we gave notice to the Inhabitants within named, to meet at the time and place and for the purpose within mentioned, by posting up an attested copy of the within Warrant at the place of meeting within named, and a like attested copy at the town offices, being a public place in said Town on the twenty-sixth day of February, Two Thousand-One.

Tom Salatiello, Chairman

Evelyn Auger

Kevin Roy

Selectmen of Sanbornton

LIST OF TOWN PROPERTY

(*Not classified as assets*)

Facility Descriptions	Assessed Value
Town Hall, Land & Buildings (TM 26.45)	$137,200
Equipment & Furniture	9,500
Town Office/Life Safety Building Land (TM 26.13)	58,900
Town Office Building	113,100
Equipment & Furniture	24,100
Life Safety Building	269,000
Police Department Equipment	105,595
Fire Department Equipment	459,480
Chapel Fire Station (TM 20.45)	56,600
Library, Land & Building (TM 26.42)	124,150
Furnishings & Books	163,000
Highway Department, Land & Buildings (TM 22.27)	91,200
Highway Department Equipment	133,600
Transfer Station/Recycling Facility (TM 20.63)	89,700
Transfer Station/Recycling Facility Equipment	35,419
Dr. True Town Beach (TM 11.75)	65,250
Hermit Lake Town Beach (TM 3.102)	153,900
Beach/Recreation Equipment	39,110

Tax Map #	Acreage	Description	Assessed Value
1.012	20.00	Mountain Road	$ 7,000
2.008	.82	Drake Road	14,100
2.021	.34	Grove Drive	10,800
3.003	.14	Plummer Pond Island	10,700
3.005	.27	Plummer Pond Island	15,200
3.014	.34	Grove Drive	12,000
3.023	.34	Birch Drive	10,800
3.068	.46	Circle Court	44,400
3.099	.90	Kennedy Road	6,000
3.118	.50	Birch Point Road	13,550
3.122	.40	Hermit Lake Road	19,400
3.130	.41	Hermit Lake Road	38,150
3.133	.34	Hermit Lake Island	15,600
3.142	1.04	Hermit Lake Island	34,000
3.143	.17	Hermit Lake Island	10,600
3.144	.09	Hermit Lake Island	6,200
3.145	.28	Hermit Lake Island	10,300
3.151	.05	Hermit Lake Island	4,000
3.170	.57	Stage Road	2,500
3.171	.06	Hermit Lake Island	2,800
3.172	1.86	Springhaven Road	20,000
4.32	128.00	Eastman Hill Road	104,200

(Town Property continued)

Tax Map #	Acreage	Description	Assessed Value
5.007.003	5.40	Roxbury Road	$ 19,250
6.002	40.00	Knox Mountain Road	22,400
8.006	2.00	Hermit Lake Island	51,000
8.013	2.00	Hermit Lake Island	51,300
8.014	.23	Hermit Lake Island	10,100
8.015	.17	Hermit Lake Island	7,600
8.024	3.00	Old Mountain Road	3,900
8.025	1.50	Hermit Woods Road	8,300
8.047	.15	Point Road	12,700
8.059	.47	Circle Point Road	34,800
9.020	1.00	Off Range Road	500
9.047	6.00	Eastman Rd (Common Area)	N/V
9.061	68.32	Taylor/Steele Hill Roads	50,300
9.107	9.19	Old Mountain Road	8,100
10.069	.17	Off Spring Road	8,100
10.095	1.00	Steele Hill Road	12,200
11.071	56.41	Dr. True/Lower Bay Roads	185,900
11.091	.02	Black Brook Road	1,500
12.062	1.82	Leighton Estates R.O.W.	3,600
15.075	2.20	Shute Hill Road	15,500
15.101	12.00	Tower Hill/Rufus Colby Roads	63,700
16.003	32.00	Off Range Road	22,700
16.004	19.00	Off Range Road	13,300
16.024	18.44	Off Range Road	14,400
16.065	7.00	Poplar Road	8,300
18.012	1.60	Bay Road	12,000
20.083	.58	Schoolhouse Road	1,300
20.083-1	.40	Schoolhouse Road	800
21.046	13.00	Pound Road	34,800
25.012	6.23	New Hampton Road	20,100
25.018	68.00	New Boston Road	38,400
25.025	.25	Mt. View Park Road	1,200
25.026	.21	Mt. View Park Road	1,200
25.027	.17	Mt. View Park Road	1,000
25.030	.12	Mt. View Park Road	800
25.034	.14	Mt. View Park Road	3,100
27.005	.23	Calef Hill Road (DAR Cemetery)	500
			$1,156,950

BUILDING PERMIT SUMMARY

In 1999, the total number of building permits approved was 112. There were 25 filed for new homes (2 renewals) and 7 for mobile homes. The following table represents the number of building permits filed for 2000 and the type.

PROJECT TYPE	NUMBER
Accessory (such as shed, garage, barn)	34 (1 renewal)
Addition (such as porch, living space)	35
Alteration (alteration of existing structure)	9
Antenna / Satellite	2
Demolish (remove structure)	1
Home (new residence)	36 (1 renewal)
Mobile Home (new residence)	6
Repairs (Repair of existing structure)	5
Temporary Housing	1
	129 approved

CONSERVATION COMMISSION REPORT

The Conservation Commission continues to meet the second Thursday of each month and the public is always welcome. Conservation is abroad term embracing a number of interests related to natural resources. Hikers, fisherman, hunters, canoeists, farmers, foresters, snowmobilers, cross country skiers, educators and those concerned with community planning are all interested in natural resources, both their perspectives on what constitutes wise use of those resources may vary considerably. The varied interests and knowledge of each member of the Commission guides the discussions to consider as many interests as possible in its recommendations for "proper utilization and protection of the natural resources".

The Commission inspected and reported its findings and recommendations on many standard dredge and fill applications and minimum impact applications to NH DES Wetlands Bureau this past year. The construction/replacement of docks, retaining walls and waterfront beach projects are the types of proposed projects the commission reviewed.

This past year a consulting forester prepared a comprehensive forest stewardship plan for 10 of the larger town owned properties. The evaluation of the 1998 ice storm damage was the priority but the stewardship plan included a multi-use management approach for these properties. In the coming year the commission will be working with the forester to oversee timber harvests on these parcels and to evaluate other town owned parcels for their conservation value.

In January 2000, the Lakes Region Planning commission (LRPC) chose Hopkinson Hill as an important natural resource area in Sanbornton and worthy of protection in its Regional Environmental Protection Program (REPP). This coming year the Commission may be asked to participate financially in projects to protect open space. Proposed projects will be evaluated for their conservation value and benefit to the citizens of Sanbornton.

The Commission accepted the resignation of Wayne Smart, Don Miller, Ralph Jesseman and Hal Graham, and the Commission thanks them for their volunteer efforts. The conservation Commission would like to thank the groups and individuals who have maintained our Sanbornton trails for all to enjoy.

Respectfully submitted,
Karen Bordeau

ENHANCED 911 REPORT

Again the Town of Sanbornton saw a substantial growth in single family housing in 2000. There were 33 new single residents built with each assigned an address. For the second consecutive year, better than 100 change of residents were recorded.

All emergency response agencies were provided a map book showing the location of each residence and updates are provided on a monthly basis by this office.

Again, we as emergency responders ask that you post your address so that it may be seen year round for both yours and our benefit in the time of need. If you have a question as to how your residents should be marked, please contact me at 286-7720. I would be glad to come out to your home to show or answer any of your questions.

Stan Barnes
E-911 Coordinator

FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

The Sanbornton Fire Department responded to a total of 272 calls for assistance. 105 of these calls were fires, 86 calls were for medical aid, 67 were for motor vehicle accidents, and 14 were service calls. Our Fire Prevention Team visited numerous schools in town teaching the importance of being prepared in an emergency. Lt. Scott Taylor and Capt. Craig Simpson provided interactive demonstrations along with a wealth of book knowledge and extensive career experience. We gratefully acknowledge their dedication to this very important cause.

The addition of our used ambulance and replacement of our very mature fire truck have made this a big year for our department. The ambulance has provided us an effective and reliable piece of equipment to help those in need, while also allowing department members to increase skill levels to keep up with local and national requirements. The addition of the fire truck, which bears a plaque recognizing Sanbornton's first Fire Chief, George S. Currier, has allowed us the ability to have multi purpose rescue and attack truck at central station, therefore moving a much newer piece of apparatus to the Chapel side of town.

We enjoyed a very successful open house this year which was held in conjunction with Fire Prevention Week in October. Many citizens visited the department to witness the dedication of the fire truck mentioned above, as well as ask questions, have their blood pressure screened, and even get some snacks. The kids got to try their luck at hosing down a miniature building with a fire hose. We are already busy planning for next years' festivities. These will be held again in conjunction with National Fire Prevention Week, October 7th thru 13th, 2001. The Open House will be held on Saturday, October 13, 2001, so plan ahead. We would love to see you there.

The State of NH operates 15 fire towers, 2 mobile patrols, and 3 contract aircraft patrols. This early detection system combined with reports from citizens aid in the quick response from your local department. These factors are critical in controlling the size of wildland fires, keeping the loss of property and suppression costs as low as possible. Due to permitting and fire safety concerns, please contact your local fire department before doing any outside burning.

Please be sure to maintain your assigned street number at your residence. In an emergency seconds count, and if we need to spend time trying to find your street number it could cost us what we have the least of....time.

The Sanbornton Fire Department is always looking for interested community members to join us in our cause. Anyone interested in joining is asked to please call or visit the Sanbornton Fire Department. Again I would like to thank department members for their dedication to our town and helping those in need.

Respectfully submitted,
Jon Sanborn, Chief

Budget:	
2000 appropriation	$68,960
2000 expended	$65,408

FOREST FIRE WARDEN & STATE FOREST RANGER'S REPORT

There are 2,200 Forest Fire Wardens and Deputy Forest Fire Wardens throughout the state. Each town has a Forest Fire Warden and several Deputy Wardens who assist the Forest Rangers with forest fire suppression, prevention, and law enforcement. The number of fires reported during the 2000 fire season was below average as referenced in the statistics below. Despite this, our network of fire towers and detection patrols were still quite busy with the fire towers being first to report over 135 fires. These fires were quickly and accurately reported to the local fire department for their prompt and effective suppression efforts. Wildland fires occurring in areas where homes are situated in the woodlands area serious concern for both landowners and firefighters. Homeowners can help protect their homes by maintaining adequate green space around them and making sure that houses are properly identified with street numbers. Please contact the Forest Protection Bureau to request a brochure to assist you in assessing fire safety around your home and woodlands.

To aid your Forest Fire Warden, Fire Department and State Forest Ranger, contact your local Warden or Fire Department to find out if a permit is required before doing **ALL** outside burning. Fire permits are required for any open burning unless the ground is completely covered with snow where the burning will be done. Violations of RSA 227-L:17, the fire permit law and the other burning laws of the State of New Hampshire are misdemeanors punishable by fines of up to $2,000 and/or a year in jail. Violators are also liable for all fire suppression costs.

There are eleven Forest Rangers who work for the New Hampshire Division of Forests and Lands, Forest Protection Bureau. Forest Rangers have investigated numerous complaints regarding violations of the timer harvest and forest fire laws, and taken enforcement action to ensure compliance. If you have any questions regarding forest fire or timber harvest laws, please call our office at 271-2217, or for general information visit our website at www.dred.state.nh.us.

The State of New Hampshire operates 15 fire towers, 2 mobile patrols and 3 contract aircraft patrols. This early detection system and reports from citizens aid in the quick response form local fire departments. These factors are critical in controlling the size of wildland fires, keeping the loss of property and suppression costs as low as possible. Due to permitting and fire safety concerns, please contact your local fire department **BEFORE** using portable outdoor fire places and vessels, including those constructed of clay, concrete or wire mesh.

Please contact your local fire department before doing **ANY** outside burning.

REMEMBER ONLY YOU CAN PREVENT FOREST FIRES!!!

(Forest Fire Warden/State Ranger report continued)

2000 FIRE STATISTICS

(All fires reported through November 10, 2000)

TOTALS BY COUNTY

	Numbers	Acres
Hillsborough	118	40
Rockingham	49	24
Merrimack	92	16
Belknap	54	13
Cheshire	41	20
Strafford	58	13
Carroll	46	10
Grafton	16	7
Sullivan	12	2
Coos	30	4

CAUSES OF FIRES REPORTED

Debris Burning	263
Miscellaneous*	151
Smoking	30
Children	17
Campfire	16
Arson/Suspicious	14
Equipment Use	9
Lightning	9
Railroad	7

*Miscellaneous (powerlines, fireworks, structures, OHRV)

	Total Fires	Total Acres
2000	516	149
1999	1301	452
1998	798	443

Respectfully submitted,
John Dodge
Forest Ranger

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT REPORT

The 2000 Highway Black Grant projects were: Paving portions of Hueber Drive, reclaiming, new culverts and paving portions of Weeks, Burleigh Hill and March Road. The remainder of the Block Grant was used on Knox Mountain Road for new culverts, widening and reshaping ditches in a problem area.

We have begun an extensive drainage and ditching program on all of the town roads, and it is working very well. This is why I am asking for additional money to rent specialized equipment (rubber tire excavator with grading bucket) to speed up the process which would save us money from washouts. This process leaves us with a lot of excess material, so we are always looking for places to dump fill, as close to where we are working as possible. Please do not hesitate to ask for some, it saves us time, trucking and money.

We have also been replacing culverts all over town. There are many more that need to be replaced as traffic increases many are too short or collapse from age. This was also an added expense since there was no money appropriated for culverts last year.

We have researched and tried out many loaders this year. I believe the town is getting a very good deal for the Volvo L70D that I have chosen. As many of you know we have needed a new one for quite some time. Most of the money is in the Capital Reserve Fund.

Mowing the road sides was improved this year when I had to replace the mower on the tractor. The old one was worn out and too expensive to repair. That is why we didn't get all of the roads mowed this year. Next year we will begin with the ones that weren't done this year.

I have also started a program of making sure the roads are treated or plowed by 6:30 a.m. for the morning commuters. All the feedback has been positive.

It has been noticed by the Highway Department that many people are plowing the snow from their driveways across town roads. Please don't do this, as it can be very dangerous for many reasons. All driveways should be plowed in towards your property, not across roadways.

In closing please bear with us as we improve and maintain our roads.

Respectfully submitted,
Bradley O. Laughy, Road Agent

HIGHWAY SAFETY-TRANSPORTATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE REPORT

The Sanbornton Highway Safety/TAC committee dealt with many issues in 2000. Including monitoring the Steele Hill Road construction project and many issues related to unsafe intersections, speed limits and stop signs.

The committee has met with State Officials on the road design of Steele Hill Road and have been assured that the Woodman Road intersection will be reconstructed in such a way to increase visibility and greatly reduce the risk of accidents. The members also helped to address concerns of speeding vehicles in Sanbornton square by having the speed limit reduction signs moved further north of the square and also by purchasing signs which were erected on the yellow line from the Sanbornton post office to the intersection of Gulf Road. We have received positive feedback from the residents that live in this portion of the square. The committee has also looked at the intersection of Upper Bay and Bay Road to see what changes can be made to make this a safer intersection. Those changes are in the works and we have already discussed them with the State.

I would like to thank the members of the committee who volunteer their time to help make Sanbornton roads safer for all of us. I would also like to remind people who have highway safety concerns to contact the committee through the Town Office or Police Department so that we may address these concerns at our next meeting.

The Sanbornton Highway Safety/TAC Committee meets on the fourth Wednesday of each month at the Life Safety Building. Meetings begin at 7:00pm.

Respectfully yours,
Ralph Carter
Chairman

HISTORIC DISTRICT COMMISSION REPORT

The Historic District Commission has been entrusted and empowered "To recognize and maintain those natural and structural features within the Historic District which are historically, culturally or architecturally significant and which characterize the Town of Sanbornton."

During the past year, the commission has worked to meet this purpose by reviewing and approving the plans for two new houses, on garage, and one addition in the Historic District. We also reviewed and revised the guidelines for new buildings and existing structures. Other projects included updating the photo survey of the buildings within the District, erecting a sign to mark the location of the historic Town Pound, and the purchase of reference materials, which are available for public use at the library.

I would like to thank the members of the Historic District Commission for dedicating their time and efforts to preserving the character of the Historic District. The Commission welcomes the input and inquiries of interested persons at its meetings. Please call me at 286-7833 if you are interested in attending or have questions concerning the work of the Commission.

Respectfully submitted,
Karen Bartlett, Chairperson

OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

Although no big emergencies occurred in 2000, the Office of Emergency Management was busy maintaining the town's emergency operations manual. A new listing of emergency resources has been developed along with a new guideline for hazardous materials as written by the State of New Hampshire Office of Emergency Management.

Many years of training finally paid off for me as I attained the level of Emergency Management Director III. With this accolade, I hope to be able to continue to bring to the residents of Sanbornton the highest level of emergency preparedness that can be provided. Combining the expertise of the Fire Department, Police Department, Highway Department and the Office of Emergency Management, you the citizens of Sanbornton, can be very proud of your emergency services.

In 2001, I plan to attend several workshops dealing with flood mitigation and severe weather emergencies. In May, I plan to go to the National Fire Academy in Emmitsburg, Maryland for a week long seminar on Emergency Operations Center Operations During a Mass Casualty incident dealing with a major loss of life, i.e.: plane crash/hazardous materials.

A goal for 2001 is to have the Life Safety Building retrofitted for emergency power. The State Office of Emergency Management has acquired 100 portable trailer generators of various sizes for use by towns that need emergency power during times of power outages. The object for these generators is to maintain power to the emergency operations center at the Life Safety Building and power to the Town Office. These units will be delivered to the towns in need by the NH Army National Guard. If the Selectmen and Budget Committee accept a bid proposal, a warrant article will be presented at town meeting to enclose the amount of the retrofit.

I would like to thank you for your support of this office and look forward to serving the residents of Sanbornton in the years ahead.

Stan Barnes
Emergency Management Director

OLD GRAVEYARDS AND CEMETERIES COMMITTEE REPORT

During this past year we made very good progress, although not the great surge forward that we had achieved in the previous year, our first year as a committee.

Copies of the "Sanbornton Graveyard Book", listing all the gravesites that we know of so far, are in the Town Offices, the Library and the Historical Society. The master is in the Town Office safe.

We hope that funds will be available in 2001 to produce a new, more complete book as we have changed the format to incorporate more information but not printed it out as of yet.

The current Master Graveyard Map has been created and is framed on the wall at the entrance of the Town Offices. I will continue to update the gravesites list with the GPS satellite locations.

To recap our initial goals:
a.) To record all known graveyards and gravesite information
b.) To show all graveyards on a map of the town(s)
c.) To find a possible location for a Town Cemetery

A.) All the 1841 graveyards have been recorded as outlined above
B.) The map is as complete as we have information for, but not all graveyards have been found
C.) The first site was turned down at a special meeting held without the committee's knowledge

I thank all the Committee members for the time and effort in helping to add information to the Master File and trust that support will continue in the effort to find more graveyards and clear them for future generations to admire.

Anyone who has information to add to this important historical Master File, please write to the Cemetery Committee at the Sanbornton Town Office.

Respectfully submitted,
Peter F. Hibberd

TRUSTEE OF GRAVEYARDS AND CEMETERIES REPORT

The year 2000 was a year for the continuation of the extensive progress made in the previous year concentrating on getting rid of much of the thick buildup of leaves that had accumulated over the preceding years. The goal of increasing the number of graveyards checked, cleared tidied and mowed was achieved in addition to this, and I appreciate the many people who took the time to stop and comment positively about the work.

Again the total of about 900 graves were kept cleared and mowed. Some graveyards had to be mowed six times to keep them looking tidy and thanks again to those who have assisted in this effort, especially Millie Shaw, Larry Smith, Joanne Berry and Peter Hibberd.

Joanne is an "Adopt a Graveyard" volunteer and has helped maintain the graveyards on Philbrook Road, and late in the year the Sanbornton Girl Scouts Troop #2639 has volunteered to "Adopt" the March Road graveyard. This will enable me to spend more time on other graveyards.

We were fortunate to work with the landowner to clear about half of the area of the William Burleigh graveyard and the Moses Leavitt graveyard, we will find and help to "save" more graveyards this year.

In 2000 the cost of the upkeep went down to about $1.25 per gravesite.

We still have many gravesites that are out in the middle of woods or pastures that we have not located as yet, but we will keep looking. As I find the overgrown sites they will be referred to the Cemetery/Graveyard Committee to bring to a condition that can be continually cared for.

I encourage anyone who wants to "adopt a graveyard" to contact me.

Respectfully submitted,
Sally D. Hibberd

PLANNING BOARD REPORT

In March 2000, the town passed all six proposed zoning amendments. The first and second zoning amendments allow a new permitted use. This permitted use is for an Outdoor Recreational Facility, which is for passive outdoor activities, such as cross-country skiing and equestrian pursuits. An Outdoor Recreational Facility is a permitted use in all Districts following site plan approval by the Planning Board. The third zoning amendment allows two levels of Home Occupation. Level One Home Occupation does not require any further approvals provided all the conditions are met. Level Two Home Occupation requires site plan approval from the Planning Board. The fourth zoning amendment allows an optional alternative to a conventional subdivision. This option is entitled "Open Space Zoning". The purpose of open space zoning is to provide more flexibility in lot layout design, while permanently protecting open space areas, such as agricultural fields or contiguous tracts of forestland. Open Space Zoning also offers the opportunity for future agricultural or forest management use of these protected open areas.

The last two zoning amendments were submitted by petition. These two zoning amendments eliminated the Highway Commercial District from the last two privately owned parcels at exit 22. The two parcels are now part of the Agricultural District and the General Residential District. Currently, there is only one parcel of Highway Commercial District remaining. This remaining piece is located within the Interstate right-of-way.

This year an interested citizen approached the Board concerning "recreational campgrounds". After discussion with the Joint Boards and Department heads, the Planning Board drafted proposed zoning for 2001 for recreational campgrounds. The intent is to allow only tent and recreational vehicle campgrounds and not for mobile home parks. The Board has proposed comprehensive conditions for the recreational campgrounds, including but not limited to road design and layout, septic facilities, drinking water supplies, and limits for occupancy, and assurance that the campground is only for temporary and recreational use, not as a permanent facility.

The following three proposed zoning amendments for 2001 are basically housekeeping issues. One is to correct existing wording for Private Family Cemeteries. The other two are to notify the police chief, fire chief, and health officer of proposed home occupation proposals. This wording historically was included for home occupations but was omitted in the rewriting last year. The zoning amendment also further defines what activities constitute a home occupation, such as allowing some retail sales that are related to the goods or services rendered by the home occupation.

Please take the time to vote on these zoning amendments at the March 2001 election.

(Planning Board continued)

During 2000 the Planning Board began the Community Profile Project by appointing a Chairman for the Steering Committee. Once the appointment was made to Mark Latham, he began the important task of gathering a group of interested citizens to plan for the Community Profile Event. This project is especially important because the Chairman and Steering Committee, with assistance from UNH Cooperative Extension, are organizing and hosting this community-planning forum. The group represents landowners of Sanbornton and the event is geared to all landowners of Sanbornton for their input in planning for this town's future. The event will be held Friday evening (April 27 for 6 to 10 p.m.) and Saturday (April 28th, 9-4:30 p.m.). The Community Profile is an empowering process. Your input and participation makes this event a success. Please join the event and make your contribution to the future development of Sanbornton as a community.

The following is a listing of the 2000 subdivisions, boundary line adjustments and site plans.

NAME/LOCATION	PROJECT	TAX MAP/LOT #
Edelheit/Calef Hill Road	2 lot subdivision	27-17
Cook/Johnson Road	4 lot subdivision	21-6
FTG Mass/Lower Bay Road	Amended 2 lot subdivision	18-34-1
Lowry-Small/Kaulback Road	2 lot subdivision	5-11
M. Auger/Mountain Road	2 lot subdivision	9-26A
Swain/Parker Hill Road	2 lot subdivision	16-54
Carter-Plummer/Osgood Rd	2 lot subdivision	14-25
Keyser/Steele Hill Road	3 lot subdivision	10-99
Sanbornton General Store	Amended Site Plan	20-75
Longs Landing/Lower Bay Rd	Amended Site Plan	17-78
Steele Hill Development Corp	Amended Site Plan	4-63
Auger/Hale Road	Private Cemetery	7-7-3
Grumbling-Huse/Black Brook Road	Boundary Line Adjustment	5-20, 10-50
Morrison/Wallis/Mills Hunkins Pond Road	Boundary Line Adjustment	16-59, 59-3, 16-59-4
Pelletier/Stage Road	Home Occupation Level 1	9-16
Grubb/Bay Road	Home Occupation Level 1	18-20
Cianci/Gulf Road	Home Occupation Level 1	27-31, 32
Hurd-Hulse/Steele Hill Road	Home Occupation Level 1	10-42

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FINANCIAL REPORT:

	2000 Appropriations	2000 Expenses	2001 Request
Planner	$15,080.00	$12,693.50	$15,080.00
Secretary Salary	$800.00	$820.00	$800.00
Secretary Mileage	$75.00	$77.40	$75.00
Newspaper Notices	$250.00	$158.40	$250.00
Miscellaneous			
(Postage, land use books, workshops)	$200.00	$103.00	$200.00
Master Plan (Community Profile)	$1500.00	$772.74	$1000.00
	$17,905.00	$14,625.04	$17,405.00

Respectfully submitted
Kathleen Surowiec, Planner

POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORT

The year 2000 was a busy and challenging one for the Sanbornton Police Department. The Department answered over 3400 calls for service and were called upon to make more than 350 arrests.

The Police Department has also installed mobile data terminals to it's police vehicles. Theses terminals allow officers to receive instant motor vehicle information on all vehicles that are stopped, run checks on stolen property and check for active arrest warrants all from within the confines of their patrol cars. It has also made it possible for all officers in the county to monitor each other, officers on calls and car stops can be monitored for safety reasons. These terminals are truly state of the art and were provided from a Belknap County Sheriffs Office grant at no charge to the town. I would like to thank them for their support.

I would like to encourage our residents to take part in some of our programs such as child find, daily call programs and our firearms safety courses. I feel strongly about their effectiveness.

I would like to thank the Sanbornton Police Relief Association for all the work they did in the community this year. The organization was very active and I know their efforts made a difference in many lives.

Finally, I would like to thank the residents for their continued support, it is noticed and greatly appreciated. I can assure you that the members of this department are exceptionally qualified and well trained. They work hard to see that we all receive the best police protection available.

Respectfully yours,
Richard W. Robinson
Chief of Police

FINANCIAL REPORT 2000

2000 Appropriation	$258,890
2000 Expenditures	262,774
2001 Request	272,478

POLICE DETAILS 2000

2000 Appropriated	$21,400
2000 Expenditures	36,679
2000 Anticipated Revenues	27,700
2000 Actual Revenues	48,714
2001 Request	28,500
2001 Anticipated Revenues	36,894

(Police continued)

POLICE STATISTICS

CALLS FOR SERVICE	
ACCIDENTS	119
ALL OTHER	752
ANIMAL	130
ASSAULT	19
ASSIST	471
AUTO THEFT	6
BURGLARY	20
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF	61
CRIMINAL THREAT	19
CRIMINAL TRESPASS	23
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	116
DOMESTIC	111
DWI	13
DRUG OFFENSE	8
FRAUD	23
HOUSE CHECK REQUEST	108
LIQUOR LAWS	54
MOTOR VEHICLE	1,245
SEX OFFENSES	15
THEFT	74
SUICIDE/UNTIMELY DEATH	8
WEAPONS VIOLATIONS	9
TOTAL CALLS	**3,404**

ARRESTS	
ASSAULT	12
DWI	13
BENCH WARRANT	2
BURGLARY	5
CRIMINAL MISCHIEF	8
CRIMINAL TRESPASS	5
DISOBEYING POLICE OFFICER	4
DISORDERLY CONDUCT	12
FRAUD	14
FUGITIVE FROM JUSTICE	5
INTOXICATION	54
JUVENILE PETITIONS	13
MINOR IN POSSESSION	18
MOTOR VEHICLE	101
POSSESSION OF DRUGS	12
OP AFTER SUSPENSION	34
RECKLESS OPERATION	5
RECIEVING STOLEN PROPERTY	4
THEFT	6
WEAPONS VIOLATIONS	2
TOTAL ARREST	**351**

FELONY	11
MISDEMEANOR	113
VIOLATIONS	225

PUBLIC WELFARE DEPARTMENT REPORT

In 2000, the Public Welfare Department has assisted sixteen families in Sanbornton. Help consisted of fuel, rent/mortgage, utilities and food expenditures. Forty-nine vouchers were written to assist these families in need with the total expensed of $19,935.01.

Families also took advantage of the Tilton-Northfield-Sanbornton Fund, the Crisis Reserve Fund, and the Sanbornton Bay Homemakers, Congregational Church, and St. Vincent DePaul Society.

The total reimbursement to the Town for assistance totaled $816.20.

I was elected to Overseer in March 2000 and assumed the duties of the previous Overseer, Joanne Boyce. Joanne helped me with all phases pertaining to welfare.

Respectfully submitted,
Edward R. Tierney
Office of the Overseer of Public Welfare

FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

2000 APPROPRIATION	2000 EXPENSES	2001 REQUEST
$25,000	$19,935.01	$25,000

RECREATION COMMISSION REPORT

What a great year! The Commission has been overwhelmed with support from the community. The Commission is currently coordinating nineteen programs for the Town.

Highlights of the year where Beach Clean up Days, where we received support from the community on reclaiming our beaches. The Commission was able to hire two Lifeguards and a Water Safety Instructor. The Summer Day Camp program was a great success and 48 children enjoyed a fun filled six weeks of activities.

Our year begins with Youth Basketball at the Sanbornton Central School. This winter sport gives the children a good chance to release their stored up energy.

The Soccer program is our most popular sport with 125 children and parent(s) enjoying the program. The soccer teams travel to surrounding communities to play games. The soccer jamboree weekend, in October, was held at the Town Park and all had a great time.

The seniors were able to take a day trip to enjoy the foliage up north. The Commission provided a bag lunch for the 19 seniors who took advantage of a day out.

This years Halloween party at Surowiec's Farm was a good change. The children and adults enjoyed hay rides and ghost stories. We also had a costume contest with prizes. The commission hopes to make this an annual event.

This years Floor Hockey program was another great success for the 84 children enjoying the winter sport.

Attending this years Tree Lighting were over 130 people of all ages. This was Bert Whetstone's 20th year leading this event. The Girl Scouts served home made Christmas cookies and the Tiger Cubs served hot chocolate.

The Commission would like to say thank you to all those who volunteer their time, equipment, monies and support to the Commission. The Commission members know that everyone who supports us makes Recreational programs stronger and better for the entire Town to enjoy.

Respectfully submitted,
The Recreation Commission

(Recreation Commission continued)

FINANCIAL STATEMENT:

Description	2000 Expenses	2000 Income	2001 Budget
Salaries	$36,558		$39,228
Beaches	3,770	734	3,200
Programs	6,971	3,891	3,810
Before & After School	1,068	9,542	1,125
Summer Day Camp	1,683	13,412	1,885
Town Park	868	817	985
Floor Hockey	1,220	1,646	1,500
Other	3,802	3,310	1,200
TOTALS	**$55,940**	**$33,352**	**$52,933**

BUDGET TOTALS:

2000 Expenses	$49,186
Reimbursed to Town from N/L Fund	- 32,586
2000 Appropriation	$16,600
N/L Fund Expenditure	+39,340
Total 1999 Expenses	**$55,940**

Balance 1/1/00 in N/L Fund	$ 16,600
N/L Fund 2000 Income	+ 33,352
Total Accrued for 2000	$49,952
N/L Fund Expenditure	- 39,340
Balance 1/1/00 in N/L Fund	**$10,612**

SANBORNTON PUBLIC LIBRARY REPORT

The library has had a very busy year with our regular services continuing and growing, and the added process of the largest fund raising programs to date. We have raised about $50,000 for the new addition (which includes the capital reserve voted March 2000).

Programs for pre-school through 5th grade were continued, with the classes from Sanbornton Central using the library during the school year. Most of the adult programs this year were the fund-raisers, where many town and neighboring town residents worked hard for the future new addition. Many thanks to all who helped on all of our projects.

Our largest fundraising effort was a letter of appeal for donations. It was sent to all town taxpayers and to town and area businesses. We had a wonderful response to this letter. All responses were very positive toward our project, and this gave us the encouragement to push ahead with more effort for the plan. We also had food sales, craft/flea market, and book sales. We had our 2nd Appraisal day in July and our second Silent Auction, which was held at the Den Brae Golf Course on Old Home Day. There are so many people who have responded to our appeals that the list would be too long for this report, but we want to give a special than you to our student building project advisor, Andrew Wyman, for his continued commitment to us and especially for the thank you card he designed on the computer for us. Our young people are every important to the library and at this time we would also like to thank Marie Giunta and Quinn Barbour for their volunteer work on Saturdays at the library. These students are very busy with school work, sports, and other activities, but all are a great asset for the library.

This summer we were happy to engage the services of Peter Olney, who specializes in Historic Buildings, as Architect for the addition. He has designed and spent a great deal of time working out details for making the best use of the new space while meeting the needs of the staff and users of the library. Plans are at the library for all to see.

In November, Library Director, Priscilla Bodwell, announced that she would like to decrease her hours starting in January 2001. However, she wished to continue with the building project, to see it to its completion. During the search for a new director, the trustees found that the newly retired director from Gilford Library, Diane Mitton, was willing to work part time here and negotiations developed for a share job, for Priscilla & Diane. As Co-Directors, each will work half of the hours and will work out a plan to divide the duties of the job. The staff is happy with the new arrangement and the patrons also have had a very positive response. Both of these employees are very experienced in the library administrative field and we are pleased to have them committed to Sanbornton Library.

(Library continued)

As final note for this report, we thank the Budget Committee and the Selectmen for their support of the library addition. To all supporters, your encouragement is appreciated. We urge all to come to town meeting March 14, 2001. Vote YES for the Library Addition.

Respectfully submitted,
Lola Morse, Chairperson
Priscilla Bodwell, Librarian

SOLID WASTE COMMITTEE REPORT

The Solid Waste Committee has had a very busy year. We started off by looking at the disposal fees versus our costs. This resulted in raising rates to offset expenses and coincide with Town policy.

Then we dug back into the landfill closure issue. Working with our engineer (Nelson & Ward Associates) Greg Ward proposed a timeline to make things easier to accomplish the project. By following this we were able to go to the Selectmen and Budget Committee with a proposal for Town Meeting. The closure cost is $600,000. This includes capping the landfill, drainage/sediment pond fencing, and a monitoring system. We will be getting our clay from the Highway Department site, thus creating more working space for them. We are currently working on a grant to reduce the taxpayers obligation. This is only a portion of the cost. There will be some excess clay that the Town should sell to reduce our cost. The balance will come from the Capital Reserve Fund, State Revolving Loan Fund, and a current year taxation cost.

The Lakes Region Planning Commission came to the Selectmen early this fall to discuss the possibility of a permanent Household Hazardous Waste site. The yearly collection day has grown very well. Over the last couple of years on collection day a question was asked if the area would support a permanent site. 78% of the public said yes. The director asked if Sanbornton would be interested in participating in a committee to study the feasibility of such a site. The Selectmen said yes but not to have the site in Sanbornton because of the Aquifer District and no other suitable site was available. They appointed Ralph Carter and Tim Grant as the representatives. I am happy to report the first meeting was January 24th, 2001. It was well represented by the Lakes Region communities. There is a very serious interest I the project moving forward.

Respectfully submitted,
Ralph Carter, Chairman

ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT REPORT

The Sanbornton Zoning Board of Adjustment heard nine cases in 2000: two were seeking Special Exception, and seven were seeking Variance.

The Zoning Board is a board comprised of ten residents, five of whom are members and five are alternate members. Currently, there is an opening for one additional member. All ten members are appointed for three-year terms and are allowed to hear and vote on any appeal before the board. The Board can hear appeals from individuals who feel wronged by inflexible zoning ordinance requirements and/or administrative decisions of other town boards. Special Exceptions to our zoning ordinance can also be granted by the Zoning Board of Adjustment. Appearing before the Zoning Board provides residents the first step in the appeals process before entering the court system. Decisions of the Zoning Board are based on State Law, legal precedent, and our town Zoning Ordinance.

As stated in Article 1 of the Zoning Ordinance, the Sanbornton Zoning Ordinance exists "for the purpose of promoting the health, safety, morals, prosperity, convenience or general welfare, as well as efficiency and economy in the process of development of the inhabitants of the Town of Sanbornton, New Hampshire, by securing safety from fire, panic and other dangers, providing adequate areas between buildings and various rights-of-way, by preserving the rural charm now attached to our Town, the promotion of good civic design and arrangements, wise and efficient expenditure of public funds, and the adequate provision of public utilities and other public requirements, and by other means."

The Zoning Board of Adjustment meets on the third Wednesday of each month, as applications require, but applicants should inquire with the clerk for the exact date in any given month. Applications for special exceptions or variance may be obtained from the Selectmen's Office. Completed applications should be returned by the first day of the month in which the appeal is scheduled to be heard.

Interested residents are invited to attend the hearing scheduled in any month. Notice of hearing and meeting minutes are posted publicly and are a matter of public record.

Respectfully submitted,
Ann E. Littlefield, Clerk

(Zoning Board continued)

Case	Applicant	Location	TM#	Status
#323	Donna Tourigny	Roxbury Road	5.001.002	Granted: 1/19/00
Spec. Excep.		*(subject to Health/Fire/Police inspection)		
#324	Jean M. Smith	Hermit Lake Road	3. 108	Granted: 4/19/00
Variance				
#325	Lester/Sherri Pearl	Broadview Drive	18.078	Granted: 4/19/00
Variance		*Max. 20% lot coverage*		
#326	B&A Realty Trust	New Hampton Road	20.075	Granted: 4/19/00
Variance		*Max. 20% lot coverage*		
#327	Rickey/Cynthia Merchant	Morrison Road	9.070	Granted: 6/21/00
Variance				
#328	James F. Grotton	Maple Circle	12.012	Granted: 6/21/00
Variance		*Open deck - no cover/enclosure*		
#329	David B. Pelletier	Lakeside Drive	12.119	Denied: 7/19/00
Variance				
#330	William Daley	Bay Road	18.055	Granted: 9/20/00
Spec. Excep.				
#331	Michelle M. Jackson	Short Road/Lakeside Dr.	12.102	Granted: 11/25/00
Variance		*corner*		

COMMUNITY ACTION PROGRAM REPORT

The Community Action Program provides utility, landlord/tenant, legal and health counseling, as well as referrals for housing, transportation and other life concerns. These support/advocacy services are not tracked. Following is a summary of services provided to Sanbornton residents by the Franklin Area Center of the Belknap-Merrimack Community Action Program:

Service Description	Units of Service	Persons	Total Value
Commodity Supplemental Food Program	89 Packages	7	$1,958.00
Congregate Meals	431 Meals	15	$2,581.69
Emergency Food Pantries	552 Meals	92	$1,656.00
Family Planning		34	$2,550.00
Fuel Assistance	53 Applications	146	$38,214.97
Women, Infants & Children	363 Vouchers	30	$14,919.30
Meals-On-Wheels	41 Meals	5	$250.10
Senior Companion Program	116 Hours	1	$658.00
CAP Transportation	20 Rides	6	$114.40
Weatherization	1 Home	6	$1,265.55
GRAND TOTAL			**$64,168.01**

Sincerely,
Gail Lyman, Area Director

COMMUNITY HEALTH & HOSPICE REPORT

Community Health & Hospice, Inc. is a Medicare certified, Joint Commission accredited, not-for-profit home care, hospice, and community service agency which provides service to all of Belknap County. During FY 2000, the agency provided just under 500 home visit services to residents of Sanbornton. Primarily, these services involved the skills of home visiting registered nurses, physical, and occupational therapists, certified nursing assistants and trained homemakers. In addition, the agency provided hospice end-of life clinical and support services to 11 families. Hospice visits encompass a variety of support services, including the clinical services of a nurse, counselors, spiritual support, personal care, volunteer support, medications, and medical equipment.

Community Health & Hospice uses community dollars to provide services for those who have little or no means of paying for service and to provide community matching dollars for special programs. These programs include hospice, homemaker, and companion services that help to keep the ill, aging, and infirm in their own homes, as well as community clinics and pediatric care coordination.

Lastly, Community Health & Hospice offers a number of non-home based services that enhance the wellness of the community. These include Immunization Services for Children, Alzheimer's respite and support, blood pressure clinics, flu clinics, and child developmental evaluation. During the past year, 65 Sanbornton individuals or families participated in these program services.

Community Health & Hospice is pleased to provide these services to Sanbornton residents. We are interested in additional ways our services can improve the health and well being of the community. Your suggestions are welcome.

Respectfully submitted,
Margaret Franckhauser
Executive Director

LAKES REGION COMMUNITY SERVICES COUNCIL

Throughout the past year, Lakes Region Community Services Council has continued to serve those Sanbornton residents who have a developmental disability. Services such as: residential, vocational, family support and transportation, have long become an inherent part of the lives of these individuals.

In the past the focus has been on transportation, however in 2001, we will begin a new initiative. This year the focus of the funding requested will go toward providing recreation opportunities for individuals in the Sanbornton area. We realize there are many recreational activities available, but only some of the individuals with developmental disabilities are able to access them. Our hope is to hire a person to assist in the programs available and make them accessible for both children and adults with developmental disabilities.

Sincerely,

Richard Crocker
Executive Director

LAKES REGION CHILD AND FAMILY SERVICES REPORT

In July 2000, Lakes Region Family Services and Child and Family Services of New Hampshire merged. Lakes Region Family Services is a not-for-profit multi-service agency that has provided services to central New Hampshire residents since 1976. Child and Family Services is New Hampshire's oldest charitable social service organization that has been serving New Hampshire children and families for 150 years.

The joining of these two organizations significantly increases the availability of social services to the town of Sanbornton and strengthens existing programming.

Child and Family Services has offices in Laconia at 95 Water Street and in Franklin at 20 Canal Street.

Town support combined with other funds enables us to offer a wide variety of services to Sanbornton residents on a sliding scale basis. No one is denied service because of an inability to pay.

Family and Children's Counseling Professional social workers provide counseling services that utilize individual and family strengths to address a wide variety of problems including death, divorce, substance use, abuse and neglect, and other social and mental health issues.

Adoption Services help insure that children being adopted are placed in good families who are prepared for parenting and ready for the unique joys and challenges of raising and adopted child. Services are also available after the adoption is final for adoptive parents, their children and birth parents.

Child Health Support provides parent aides to assist families who have abused or neglected children to solve the problems that led to the abuse or neglect and to strengthen the family.

Integrated Home Based Services prevents recurrence of abuse, neglect and delinquency through provision of an integrated series of services designed to meet the specific family's needs.

Intensive Tracking and Supervision helps prevent placement through provision of community based family counseling, intensive supervision, and support to CHINS or delinquent youth and their families.

Group Home provides long-term residential care and emergency overnight shelter for youth between the ages of 13 and 18.

During 2000 town funds helped us to serve 18 residents of Sanbornton.

Respectfully submitted,
Walker T. Brown, Ph.D., LICSW

LAKES REGION PLANNING COMMISSION

LRPC, with a service area covering over 1,200 square miles in Belknap, Carroll, Grafton and Merrimack Counties, is one of nine regional planning agencies established by state statute. We continued to have a very busy year. Our work program remains full with activities such as local planning assistance, circuit rider planning, regional information systems & mapping, transportation planning, economic development, and natural resources planning. We are funded through multiple sources including local dues contributed by member municipalities. LRPC was called upon many times each week to provide local technical advice, and to respond to requests for service. We have also continued to maintain a regular dialogue with those state agencies that depend on us as a resource for the entire Lakes Region. Our goal remains to provide support and leadership to the region, its governments, businesses, and citizens.

A few of our accomplishments over the past year are as follows:

- Updated the Region's Transportation Plan which lays the ground work for future transportation-related projects. Initiated the update of the 2000 Regional Transportation Improvement Program.
- In cooperation with the New Hampshire Municipal Association, LRPC organized a day-long workshop on "Planning Board Basics" which was well received by area participants.
- Co-hosted and organized three public Municipal Law Lectures where practicing attorneys provide a legal perspective on local planning, zoning and other municipal issues.
- Coordinated the 15th annual Household Hazardous Waste Collection (HHW), the largest single day, multi-site collection in New Hampshire. Renewed efforts to include a permanent HHW Collection Center by creating the Lakes Region Household Hazardous Product Facility Committee.
- Prepared and released an annual report on Development Trends in the Lakes Region. Over 92% of all development in the region remains residential development.
- Prepared an assessment on the way area communities regulate home occupations through zoning ordinances.
- Represented local interests on the policy boards of area economic development councils.
- Performed approximately 130 traffic counts around the region, as the result of a new initiative with the NH Department of Transportation
- Continued to provide support to the Pemigewasset River Local Advisory Committee leading to the adoption of a River Corridor Management Plan.
- Co-sponsored a regional meeting, in cooperation with the NH Office of State Planning, on the federal and state flood insurance program.
- Expanded the digital, regional land use database; 21 municipalities are now completed.

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- Completed and submitted the Lakes Region Tour Scenic Byway Plan, a unique resource to aid regional transportation and tourism.
- Convened four area commission meetings that focused on transportation, historic preservation, Main Street and groundwater.
- Co-hosted a tourism economic development forum, in cooperation with the Division of Resources and Economic Development and Belknap county Economic Development council.

We look forward to serving Sanbornton in the future. Feel free to contact the LRPC at 279-8171 or on the internet at www.lakesrpc.org for additional information, or whenever we can be of assistance.

Kimon Koulet, Executive Director
Lakes Region Planning Commission

NEW BEGINNINGS-A WOMEN'S CRISIS CENTER REPORT

On behalf of New Beginnings A Women's Crisis Center and those we serve, I would like to thank the Town of Sanbornton for its continued support. The $1,200 allocation in 2000 assisted us in providing emergency services, advocacy and support to those whose lives have been affected by domestic and sexual violence.

New Beginnings offers 24-Hour Crisis Line. We operate a full time shelter for women and children and have safe homes for male victims: provide support and advocacy at courts, hospitals, police stations, and social service agencies. New Beginnings offers peer support groups for those affected by domestic or sexual violence, assists with needs assessments, case management and housing options; and does community outreach and education programs for youth, teens and adults. **All services are confidential and are provided free of charge.**

The advocacy, outreach, education and support services our agency provides represent many service hours. Our agency documented 7,008 requests for services in 2000.

New Beginnings is one of 14 members of the statewide NH Coalition Against Domestic and Sexual Violence, promoting statewide networking and resource sharing among domestic and sexual assault programs. The coalition is an evaluating body and administrator of state and federal contracts that provide subsidiary funding for member programs while advocating for legislative change that affect victims/survivors of domestic and sexual violence.

We greatly appreciate the support of the Sanbornton community. We are dedicated to human service, social responsibility and fiscal accountability. Although, New Beginnings represents a finite portion of the Sanbornton Town Budget the returns are immeasurable. We welcome your participation in our efforts to insure a world of safety for our children and ourselves.

Volunteers are an integral part of the work done by our agency. In 2000 there were 12,625 hours of service provided by volunteers. They are always needed and the opportunity to service is fulfilling.

Thank you for joining us to ***make a difference***.

Sincerely,
Kathy Keller, Director

NEW HAMPSHIRE HUMANE SOCIETY

The New Hampshire Humane Society (NHHS) provides numerous services to the residents and companion animals in the Town of Sanbornton. Strays are safely housed for 7 days when they become available for adoption to the public. NHHS takes in owner-relinquished pets by appointment and matches the animal with the best adoptive home. We offer the residents of your town an alternative to releasing their animal to the streets when they can non longer care for them. Quarantine facilities are made available to the town as well as the services of our animal cruelty investigator. Educational programs are offered to town schools and civic organizations. If you are interested in any of the programs, please call the administrative offices at (603) 524-8236 or contact the shelter at (603)524-3252.

The total number of animals brought to the New Hampshire Humane Society from your Town during 2000 is as follows:

ANIMALS	From the Town of Sanbornton	Owner Surrendered
Dogs & Puppies	3	4
Cats & Kittens	22	1
Quarantine	1	

Total received from the Town of Sanbornton: 25
Total received from the Residents 5
Total number of all animals received.....30

Respectfully submitted,
Claudia Abdinoor, Executive Director

WINNISQUAM FIRE DEPARTMENT REPORT

The Winnisquam Fire Department answered 437 calls for aid during the past year. This was an increase of about 40 calls over the previous year and an increase of over 80 calls in the last two years. Our primary response district is the Winnisquam Lake area of the Towns of Belmont and Sanbornton, and of the Tilton-Northfield Fire District, plus the Blackbrook Road area of the Town of Meredith. The breakdown of our calls in the year 2000 showed the following responses:

	Belmont	Tilton	**Sanbornton**	Winnisquam	Mutual Aid
Medical	66	62	**28**	46	2
MVA/Medical	19	24	**8**	0	1
Fire-Structure	15	7	**5**	0	12
Fire-Other	33	13	**13**	0	3
Fire Alarms	51	3	**17**	0	0
Service	0	0	**1**	4	0
Other	1	2	**1**	0	0
TOTALS	185	111	**73**	50	18

As has become the pattern for those fire departments that cover both fire and medical calls, our responses show that over 60 percent were for the ambulance, with either medical or trauma related problems. Answering this challenge, we are fortunate in that the 25 members of our department include two Paramedics, three EMT-Intermediates, and eleven EMT-Basics, with one additional member now taking the basic course.

We wish to express our appreciation to those at the annual meetings last year that supported our request for a new ambulance. It provides us with a more adequate work area for treating patients in advanced life care en route to the hospital, and because of its up-to-date design, to keep it in compliance with toady's infection control standards.

With the new Ambulance last year, the new Engine put into service in 1998, the refurbishing of our 1981 Engine several years ago, and securing from the State a larger 4-wheel drive military vehicle several years ago to replace the small Jeep, our vehicles are all in good condition, and we should not have to be looking for a replacement for any of them for about 10 years. However, by concentrating on bringing our vehicles up to date over the past few years, we have deferred much needed maintenance on our buildings and property. We are looking to replace our dug well with a drilled well this year and pave the parking area next year. We have reserved some monies from last year's budget, which added to monies in this year's budget for building repairs, we plan to refurbish the outside of the building this coming summer.

On behalf of all of our members, may I again extend our thanks to all who have supported us at Town and District Meetings, through donations, and by coming to the dinners and other fund raisers that we put on.

Respectfully submitted,
Richard W. Gray, Chief

YOUTH ASSISTANCE PROGRAM REPORT

The Youth Assistance Program is a Juvenile Court Diversion and Prevention Program. Thanks to the townspeople of Northfield, Sanbornton and Tilton the Youth Assistance Program is entering its 26th year of serving youth and families. This includes, not only teens and pre-teens who are in trouble with the law, but also pregnant and parenting teens, grandparents who are parenting their grandchildren, victims of juvenile crime, youngsters whose families are going through divorce or other disruption, and many others. The Youth Assistance Program continues to be available to any school-age children and their families in our community.

In the year 2000 we held:

- Juvenile Review Boards for first-time offenders
- Informal Counseling Sessions
- Challenge Trainings to address issues of substance abuse
- Tobacco Education Programs
- All Stars Program - A character development program for sixth graders was started in partnership with Youth Opportunities and the Winnisquam Regional School District.

We also:

- Worked with Belknap County on Juvenile Restorative Justice for second-time offenders
- Supported parents in court
- Conducted home and school visits with youth and their parents
- Worked with the schools on specific cases regarding school truancy, substance abuse, bomb threats, violent behavior and delinquency
- Arranged for local police to speak with small groups regarding juvenile and adult laws and the ramifications of substance abuse
- Hosted Doctor Laurie Mansfield from New Hampshire Dartmouth Family Practice who visited to answer questions by youths regarding sexually transmitted disease
- Presented at Project Safeguard sponsored by the Winnisquam Regional Middle School to provide drug and alcohol information for students and their parents
- Involved youth in such community service work as the NH Veteran's Home, the Pines Community Center, trash clean-up, cemetery work, helping at local police stations, Toys for Tots and others
- Worked with the New Hampshire Juvenile Court Diversion Network on State issues in court diversion

(Youth Assistance Program continued)

We look forward to the coming year and working in such a worthwhile program as the Youth Assistance Program of Northfield, Sanbornton and Tilton, Inc. Once again, thank you to all our many supporters.

Respectfully submitted,
Martha C. Douglass, Director
Dawn B. Shimber, Associate Director

STATISTICS:

Court Diversion Cases	37
Court Ordered Services	4
Substance Abuse Training	21
Prevention Activities	85
Adult Participation	41
Total Youth Participation	148

Board of Directors:

Marion Abbott	Nina Gardner	Linda Pardy
Kent Chapman	Hal Graham	Rick Stewart
Norman Couture	Scott Hilliard	
Tom Croteau	Ellen Lang	

HARMONY GRANGE NO. 99

The Grange is a family oriented organization with roots in rural communities all across America. It is also a fraternal order offering membership to men, women and children. Organized on December 4, 1867 in Washington, D.C., the Grange is the oldest agricultural and rural community service organization in the country.

Harmony Grange No. 99 was organized on December 11, 1883 at the First Baptist Church in Sanbornton. The first meeting was held in Academy Hall on January 23, 1884. Later the organization moved to the Town Hall and then back to Academy Hall and more recently to the Congregational Church undercroft that was completed in 1980.

Over the years Harmony Grange has undertaken many projects in its desire to be of service to the community. A partial list includes the addition of a kitchen to the Town Hall, later remodeled, and the digging of a well. The Grange has helped with repairs to the Town Hall and Bandstand and the installation of the flagpole, and has helped with improvements to the Centre Cemetery and the grounds around the public buildings.

The largest project undertaken, completed in 1965, was contributing to the construction of a new municipal building to house the fire station and town offices. Labor and equipment was supplied at no cost to the town. It totaled approximately $6,500. Grange families donated 75% of this amount.

The most recent project undertaken by Harmony Grange is its sponsorship of the senior housing initiative. The Grange continues to provide support and membership to the Senior Housing Corporation as well as representation on the board of trustees.

Harmony Grange No. 99, with a present membership of 55, has made its greatest contribution over many years as a progressive force for the good of the community. Our hope is that it will continue in its quest to preserve, promote, and perpetuate a better life for everyone.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert M. Bodwell, Master (Pres.)

MOHAWK TRAIL RIDERS

The Mohawk Trail Riders (MTR's) Snowmobile Club is a non-profit organization that maintains approximately 56 miles of snowmobile trails in Sanbornton and New Hampton. The club's 100+ members consist of about seventy-five percent New Hampshire residents.

The Club incorporated in Tilton in 1969 as a New Hampshire Snowmobile Association charter member. In 1986, the club reorganized and moved to Sanbornton in an effort to preserve area trails threatened by residential development and neglected landowner relations. It took several years of hard work to acquire the permission of all landowners and improve trails.

The clubs resolve was put to the test during "Ice Storm '98". For the three weekends following the storm, thirty-plus volunteers worked steadily to clear the more than twenty-five miles of trails blocked by fallen trees. Local officials were grateful for our hard work, as many of these trails are class six roads that would have remained closed had it not been for our efforts.

With an organized trail system in town snowmobiling has flourished. The club has worked closely over the years to provide access to several local businesses including Steele Hill Resort, Exit 23 Plaza, and the Sanbornton General Store. Steele Hill Resort was also the host of the 1997 and 1998 Snowmobile Jamboree's. This past fall, the MTR's hosted the second annual Landowner Appreciation Dinner, to express our appreciation to the private landowners that allow trails to cross their property in town.

The MTR's operate many fund-raisers throughout the year including raffles, a chicken barbecue, and an annual Christmas Bake Sale. We have a dunking booth that we use at several events including Belmont and Tilton Old Home Days. Although funding our club is critical, a large portion of the funds raised at these events is donated to local charities including New Hampshire Easter Seals. At the recent Ride In for Easter Seals, the MTR's donated $3,000 to this cause.

The MTR's work to ensure that snowmobiling can be safely enjoyed both now and for years to come. If you are interested in joining us or learning more about our Club, please contact Susan at 744-8914.

Respectfully submitted,
Susan Bousquet, President

SANBORNTON BAY CIRCLE OF HOME AND FAMILY

Sometime back in the 1940's a group of Sanbornton ladies formed their own Extension Homemakers organization. Today this same organization is called the Sanbornton Bay Circle of Home and Family and has 22 members that meet every month (except July) at various member's homes for programs or activities. The past year we covered such subjects as Fire Safety, New book reviews, How to use a scarf effectively, Who Am I?. We took a trip to the Remick Country Doctor's Museum and Farm to learn how to make linen from flax and how to hand churn butter. We always have a summer picnic and a Christmas party on our agenda each year.

For our community service we raised money at two local flea markets by selling treasures from our homes and also sold handmade items at a craft fair. With these funds we were able to give a $250.00 book award to two graduating high school seniors, Thanksgiving food certificates to Public Assistance, and some Christmas money to the Spaulding Youth Center Foundation. There is also about ten members that meet every other week to make crib quilts for the ABC Quilts for Babies-At-Risk Organization in Northwood.

The newly elected officers are as follows:

Pauli Novicki, Co-President	(279-8278)
Earlene Smith, Co-President	(528-6454)
Judy Hewson, Secretary	(524-5628)
Brenda Kraft, Treasurer	(528-4583)

Our meetings are held the third Wednesday of the month at 1pm. Anyone interested please call for information from any of the officers.

Respectfully submitted,
Brenda Kraft, Treasurer

SANBORNTON HISTORICAL DOCUMENTS FOUNDATION

The purpose of the Historical Documents Foundation is to gather both historical and contemporaneous data, record it in a digital format, and make it accessible to the public at low or no cost. The Foundation has identified a number of projects that would help to protect the history of our town. Current projects include, scanning and perhaps reprinting of *Runnels'* History of Sanbornton and scanning of the 1940 Archive of Town Records. If you are interested in participating in such projects, please contact me at 286-7833.

Respectfully submitted,
Karen Bartlett, Coordinator

SANBORNTON OLD HOME DAY

August 4th and 5th are the dates of Old Home Day Weekend 2001. There will be another Sanbornton Old Home Day Golf Tournament and a Barbecue at Den Brae Golf Course on Prescott Road on Saturday, August 4th. The traditional Old Home Day Sunday Church Service for all the congregations in Town will be held at the Second Baptist Church at the Bay this year with lunch and entertainment to follow. Other events are being planned. Mark your calendar.

TWIN RIVERS COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS

The Sanbornton Congregational Church on Meetinghouse Hill in Sanbornton Square is sponsoring a new organization called Twin Rivers Community Volunteers. This will be a free, non-professional service for elderly and/or disabled individuals and others with special needs. Volunteers will provide transportation to medical appointments and shopping; friendly visits to homebound persons, telephone reassurance, and limited respite care. Volunteers who can donate two or three hours a month or a week are needed to get the program underway. Training will be provided. Call 279-8848 for more information.

SANBORNTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY

If you are curious about Sanbornton's past and interested in the history of New Hampshire and New England, you are invited to attend the monthly meetings of the Sanbornton Historical Society on the first Wednesday of each month, April through October. The meetings are held in the restored Lane Tavern in the Town Square at 7:30 p.m. Topics this year include:

April 4	The Battle of Bennington: How some NH farmers changed the world, (presented by Bill and Pat Starck)
May 2	Sant Bani School's, "History and Energy Management: a Sanbornton House Sampler"
June 6	Bill Copely of the NH Historical Society on Folk Music and Country Dance in NH
July 11	Wayne Snow on Sanbornton's Little Factory Complex at Mosquito Bridge, Winnisquam
Aug 1	A Tour of the House and Gardens at Tobey Whalen's Topiary at Owl's Rest Farm on Brook Road in Sanbornton
Sept 5	Brad Wolff on Recreating Railroad History in Ashland
Oct 3	Annual Meeting, Supper and Entertainment

Special events planned include an auction on August 25 and the annual Greens and Craft Sale on December 1. All meetings and events are free and open to the public. The Society was organized in 1952 to promote interest in and understanding of the history and development of the Town of Sanbornton; to collect, organize and preserve historical material relating to life in the Town and make it available for study; and to locate, preserve and mark historical sites and places of public interest in the Town. Dues are $10 per year for individuals and $15 for families. For more information, contact Linda Salatiello at 286-4526 or Katy Decarteret at 286-8728.

Respectfully submitted,
Linda Salatiello, President

SANBORNTON SENIOR HOUSING CORP., INC.

During the past year, the trustees of the Corp., along with Carol Adams, our project coordinator, and Jack Rogers, our attorney, have been working hard in trying to accomplish the first part of our mission. That mission is to create permanent, quality, affordable housing opportunities for Seniors in the area. Senior relatives who live outside the area could also be included. The plans are to build 24 units in 6 buildings on a portion of the 55 acres on Dr. True Road. These units would be made available to Seniors of all income levels.

It should be mentioned at this point that Carol Adams has been indispensable in the process of developing this project. Because of her extensive background experience, she has been able to get different organizations together to form partnerships with us. Jack Rogers, our attorney, has been providing valuable legal advice and doing the necessary legal paperwork. He has been attending all of our meetings in addition to public hearings.

In regards to grants, the SSHC has received 3 grants from the Lakes Region Charitable Trust. One of the grants is for a Market Study which has recently been completed. The results of that study indicate that there is definitely a need for more Senior Housing. In addition, a $30,000 Feasibility Study Grant was received from the New Hampshire Finance Authority. That money was used to hire various highly qualified professionals to do site analysis, preliminary housing plans and to check out possible financing options.

During the month of January, a well attended hearing was held by the Planning Board. Some of the residents in the Dr. True Road area expressed serious concerns about the location of the project in that area since 25% of the 55 acres is classified as wetlands. The proposed project would take up about 6 acres in the drier area. If the project is carried out to its completion, it is imperative that the managers be extremely vigilant in seeing to it that the Winnisquam Lake and streams feeding in to it do not become polluted.

At the present time, the focus is in obtaining financing. It is hoped that this will be accomplished in the spring. The grants that are being applied for are very competitive. Other communities are also applying. We are also looking into getting financing from local banks. If everything goes well it might be possible to break ground this fall.

In conclusion, we could use more members to help support our cause. We ask anyone joining to contribute $20.00. The cash collected provides us with unrestricted funds that can be used for , as an example, insurance for our board of trustees.

Respectfully submitted,
Dick LeClerc, SSHC - Chairman

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SANBORNTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000

DATE	PLACE	NAME OF CHILD	FATHER'S NAME MOTHER'S NAME
01-27-2000	Sanbornton	Burns, Daisy Jane	Burns, Jeffrey Burns, Andrea
02-23-2000	Plymouth	Holt, Jessica Elizabeth	Holt, Robert Holt, Jennifer
03-21-2000	Laconia	Smith, Emily Elise	Smith, Frank Smith, Danielle
03-22-2000	Sanbornton	Kneuer, Caleb Joseph	Kneuer, Bruce Kneuer, Gwen
03-24-2000	Concord	Kimball, Makena Rebecca	Kimball, Wayne Kimball, Kristy
05-13-2000	Concord	Cook, Alexis Briana	Cook, Jason Cook, Amanda
06-07-2000	Laconia	French, Mackenzie Nicole	French, Robert French, Deborah
06-15-2000	Concord	Paquet, Tucker Emil	Paquet, Dennis Paquet, Kenna
09-05-2000	Concord	Beane, Christina Lauren	Beane, David Beane, Ann
09-16-2000	Concord	McCabe, Thomas Joseph	McCabe Thomas Sova McCabe, Margaret
09-24-2000	Concord	Gallagher, Troy Woodworth	Gallagher, Charles Shattuck, Patricia
11-27-2000	Sanbornton	Orr, Hannah Nyssa	Orr, Gregory Sevilla, Almudena
12-30-2000	Concord	Wood, Zachary Rae	Wood, Daniel Wood, MaryEllen

MARRIGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SANBORNTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000

NAMES	DATE	RESIDENCE
McDonald, Thomas G	03-17-2000	Sanbornton, NH
Certain, Barbara J.		Sanbornton, NH
Marshall, Thomas	05-13-2000	Sanbornton, NH
Jaques, Catherine M		Sanbornton, NH
Greenleaf, Michael S	05-20-2000	Sanbornton, NH
McQueeney, Sandra J.		Sanbornton, NH
Cate, Gary S	06-17-2000	Concord, NH
Silva, Margaret A		Concord, NH
Gravilla, Michael E.	09-09-2000	Sanbornton, NH
Insley, Lessie C		Sanbornton, NH
Croteau, John A.	11-20-2000	Laconia, NH
Vilas, Chieko		Sanbornton, NH
Clough, Michael R.	12-24-2000	Sanbornton, NH
MacCabee, Julie M.		Sanbornton, NH

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SANBORNTON FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 2000

NAME OF DECEASED	DATE	PLACE	FATHER'S NAME MOTHER'S NAME
Neill, George	01-09-2000	Concord	Neill, George Allen, Charlotte
Nicoll, Robert	01-11-2000	Laconia	Nicoll, Edward Snow, Mabel
Smith, Esther S	02-01-2000	Franklin	Snow, Josiah Upham, Laura
Howe, Clayton E	02-11-2000	Tilton	Howe, Horace Emerson, Ida
Litchfield, Martha L	04-11-2000	Franklin	Bain, William Perkins, Marjorie
McCulla, Scott R	04-16-2000	Laconia	McCulla, Robert Mizak, Maryann
Lackstrom, Marjorie B	04-23-2000	Laconia	Badger, Perley Badger, Cora
McReel, Raymond M	05-18-2000	Sanbornton	McReed, Albert Kravatsias, Patricia
Morrison, Richard O.	07-03-2000	Sanbornton	Morrison, Elwood Smith, Etta
Tigue, John C.	07-27-2000	Laconia	Tigue, John Clark, Sarah
Stroud, Daniel G.	08-29-2000	Laconia	Stroud, Parker Pelchat, Rollande
Glines, George F.	11-11-2000	Franklin	Glines, Frank Marden, Syliva
McAloon, Francis W.	11-30-2000	Tilton	McAloon, Francis Merriam, Alice
Murphy, Michael P.	12-20-2000	Concord	Murphy, Michael Coughlin, Irene
Jordan, Robert J	12-20-2000	Lebanon	Jordan, Roy Ledoux, Lumina

NOTES

❖ BUSINESS HOURS ❖

Selectmen's Office

Monday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Monday - Board of Selectmen's Meeting	Begins at 6:30pm
Tuesday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Wednesday	------CLOSED------
Thursday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Friday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Town Clerk-Tax Collector

Monday	8:00 am - 7:30 pm
Tuesday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Wednesday	------CLOSED------
Thursday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm
Friday	8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Transfer Station/Recycling Center

Saturday	7:30 am - 4:00 pm
Wednesday - Winter (weather permitting)	12 noon - 4:00 pm
Wednesday - Summer (mid-April on)	7:30 am - 4:00 pm

Sanbornton Public Library

Tuesday	9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Wednesday	1:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Thursday	1:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Friday	9:00 am - 5:00 pm
Saturday	10:00 am - 12 noon

Sanbornton Post Office

Monday - Friday	7:30 - 1:30 and 3:00 - 5:00
Saturday	8:00 am - 12 noon

❖ MEETING SCHEDULE ❖

Board of Selectmen	Every Monday	6:30 pm
Budget Committee	3rd Tuesday	7:00 pm
Building Needs/Town Park Committee	2nd Tuesday	7:00 pm
Cemetery Committee	4th Thursday	7:00 pm
Conservation Commission	2nd Thursday	7:00 pm
Highway Safety/TAC (*at L/S Bldg*)	4th Thursday	7:00 pm
Library Trustees (*at Library*)	3rd Tuesday	7:00 pm
Planning Board - Work Session	1st Thursday	7:30 pm
- Hearings	3rd Thursday	7:30 pm
Recreation Commission	2nd Tuesday	7:00 pm
Trustees of Trust Funds	2nd Wednesday	6:00 pm
Zoning Board of Adjustment	3rd Wednesday	7:00 pm

All meetings are held in the Town Offices unless otherwise noted, and the public is always welcome to attend.